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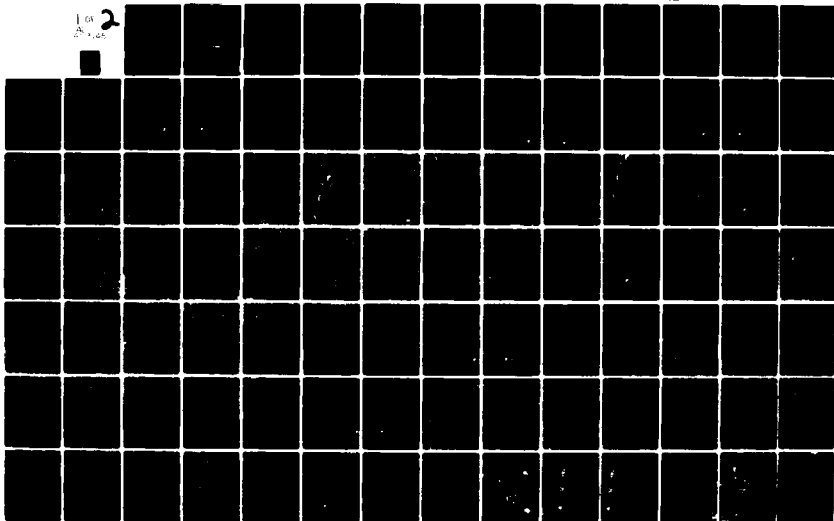
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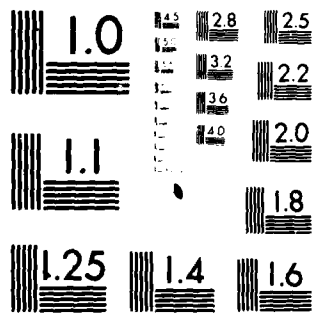
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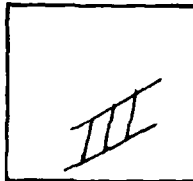


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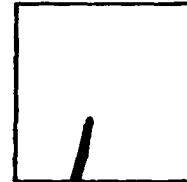
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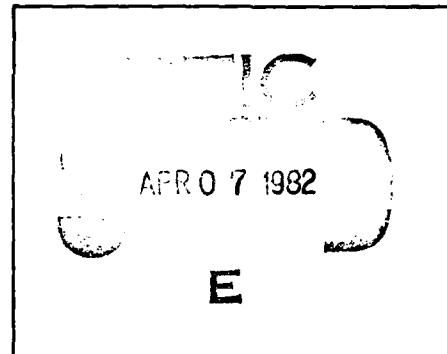
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MINING DISTRICT	COUNTY	TOWNSHIP & RANGE	PHYSIOGRAPHIC SETTING
CHERRY CREEK.	White Pine	T23-24N, R62-63E	Cherry Creek Range
TELEGRAPH	White Pine	T21-22N, R62-63E,	N Egan Range
HUNTER	White Pine	T20-21N, R62E	Egan Range
GRANITE	White Pine	T19-21N, R62-63E	Egan Range
ROBINSON	White Pine	T16-17N, R61-62E	Cent Egan Range
WHITE PINE	White Pine	T16N, R57-58E	N White Pine Range
PANCAKE SUMMIT	White Pine	T18N, R56E	S Newark Valley
BALD MOUNTAIN	White Pine	T24N, R57E	S. Ruby Mts.
NEWARK	White Pine	T19N, R55E	E Diamond Mts.
PINTO	White Pine — Eureka	T18N, R54E	Silverado Mtn
EUREKA	Eureka	T18-19N, R53E	Fish Creek Range
LONE MTN.	Eureka	T20N, R51E	Lone Mtn
MT. HOPE	Eureka	T22N, R51-52E	S. Sulphur Springs Range
ANTELOPE	Eureka	T23N, R49-50E	Roberts Mts.
ROBERTS	Eureka	T24N, R48E	Simpson Park Mts
DRY CREEK	Lander	T19N, R46E	S. Simpson Park Mts.

GEOLOGIC ENVIRONMENT

GEOGRAPHIC SETTING	COMMODITIES PRODUCED		CARBONATE REPLACEMENT	VEINS, LODES, FISSURES	DISSEMINATED IN SEDIMENTARY ROCK	DISSEMINATED IN IGNEOUS ROCK	PLACER	HOST ROCKS	
	MAJOR	MINOR						AGE	FORMATION
Range	Ag, Au, Pb, Cu	Zn, W	X	X			X	Є	Prospect Mtn Qtzt Є Lincoln Peak Fm Є Dunderberg Sh Є Pole Canyon Ls
	—	Au, W	X	X			X(?)		Various Lower Paleozoic Rocks
	Pb, Cu, Ag	Au	X	X					Mid-Paleozoic Dolomites
	Pb, Ag, Cu, Au	Zn, W(?)	X	X				Є	Prospect Mtn Qtzt Paleozoic Carbonates
Range	Cu	Ag, Au, Pb, Zn, Fe, Mn	X	X	X	X			TP-Ely Ls ; P-Rib Hill SS; M-Joanna Ls & Chainman; K-Altered Qtz-monz porph.
Range	Ag, Pb, Cu, Zn	Au, W	X	X				O-S-	Dolomites of Hanson Ck Fm. Lone Mtn Fm. Nevada Fm. D-Guilmette Ls.
Key	Coal	Sandstone, Perlite						T-	Rhyolite & SS M-Diamond Peak Fm
	Ag, Cu	Au, W	X	X			X		Paleozoic Carbonates (Undiff) T-Qtz-monz porphyry
	Ag, Pb	Zn, Au, Cu, W	X	X				D-	Nevada Fm
	Ag, Au	Cu, Pb, Zn	X	X				Є	Hamburg Dolomite Windfall Ls
Range	Ag, Au, Cu, Pb, Zn	—	X	X				Є	Eldorado Dolomite Є Hamburg Dolo. & Windfall Ls.
	Zn	Pb, Ag, Cu	X	X				D-	Devil's Gate Ls
Range	Zn	Pb, Ag, Cu, Au	X	X				O-	Vinini Fm (Sh, chert) P-Garden Valley Fm (ls)
	Pb, Zn	Ag	X	X				O-	Vinini Fm (ls facies) S-Lone Mtn Dolomite
Range	Pb, Zn	Ag, Cu	X	X				D-	Nevada Fm (Ls. facies)

RELATED STRUCTURAL - TECTONIC ELEMENTS

ROCKS FORMATION	MINERAL BELT	ANTLER OROGENIC BELT	LINEAMENT	CALDERA - VOLCANIC CENTER	PAST PRODUCTION (In Dollars)	CURRENT PRODUCTION	OTHER INFORMATION
Qtz Fm					> 4,800,000	Yes	Ag mine & leach operation; Active exploration
Paleozoic Rocks					Unknown	No	Active exploration in the Egan Range
Polomites					> 200,000	No	Active exploration, uranium occurs in the Birch mine
Qtz ates					> 200,000	No	Active exploration
Rib Hill SS, Chainman; monz porh.	X			X	> 1,000,000,000	No	Presently inactive, Largest production value any district in Nevada
Hanson Ck Fm Lane Min. Fm Nevada Fm.	X				> 30,000,000	Yes	Ag mine & leach, Active drilling for Cu-Mo-W porphyry on Mt. Hamilton
S Fm	X				Unknown	No	Active metals exploration in all of the Pancake Range
ates (Undiff) phyry					> 30,000	Yes	Active exploration; Dissem Au occurs in sh, Diamond Pk Fm.
					> 500,000	Yes	Bay State Mine, intermittent production
omite	X	X		X	> 225,000	Yes	Active Ag production & leach mill
omite & Windfall Ls.	X	X		X	± 122,000,000	Yes	Active re-evaluation ongoing, Open-pit Au; Ag mines & leach, Ruby Hill Proj currently inactive
s.	X	X			± 781,000	No	
chert) Fm (ls)		X			> 1,400,000	Yes	Large porphyry molybdenum deposit in T rhyolitic intrusive currently being drilled Exxon Minerals Co.
facies) omite	X	X	NNR		> 30,000	No	Low-grade oil shale deposits in Virgin Fm
s. facies)	X	X	NNR		> 30,000	No	Current Cu-Mo porphyry exploration.

STRUCTURAL - ELEMENTS

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		> 200,000	No	Active exploration
	X	> 1,000,000,000	No	Presently inactive, Largest production value of any district in Nevada
		> 30,000,000	Yes	Ag mine & leach; Active drilling for Cu-Mo-W porphyry on Mt. Hamilton
		Unknown	No	Active metals exploration in all of the Pancake Range
		> 30,000	Yes	Active exploration; Dissem Au occurs in sh of Diamond Pk. Fm.
		> 500,000	Yes	Bay State Mine, intermittent production
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		± 781,000	No	
		> 1,400,000	Yes	Large porphyry molybdenum deposit in Tert. rhyolitic intrusive currently being drilled by Exxon Minerals Co.
NNR		> 30,000	No	Low-grade oil shale deposits in Vinini Fm
NNR		> 30,000	No	Current Cu-Mo porphyry exploration.

MT. HOPE	Eureka 5	T22N, R51-52E	S. Sulphur Springs
ANTELOPE	Eureka	T23N, R49-50E	Roberts Mts
ROBERTS	Eureka	T24N, R48E	Simpson Park Mts
DRY CREEK	Lander	T19N, R46E	S Simpson Park Mts.
SPENCER HOT SPRINGS	Lander	T16-17N, R45-1/2-46E	N.E. Big Smokey Vall
INDIAN BLUE	Nye	T15N, R46E	N. Toquima Range
NORTHUMBERLAND	Nye	T13N, R45-46E	Toquima Range
DANVILLE	Nye	T11N, R48E	Monitor Range
GOLD HILL	Nye	T11N, R44E	Toquima Range
JEFFERSON CANYON	Nye	T10N, R44-45E	Toquima Range
ROUND MTN.	Nye	T9-10N, R44E	Toquima Range
BARCELONA	Nye	T9N, R45E	Toquima Range
BELMONT	Nye	T8-9N, R45E	Toquima Range
MANHATTAN	Nye	T8N, R43-44E	S. Toquima Range
TWIN RIVER	Nye	T12-13N, R41-42E	Toiyabe Range
JETT	Nye	T10-11N, R42E	S. Toiyabe Range
HORSE CANYON	Nye	T9N, R41-42E	S.E. Toiyabe Range
COLTON	Nye	T8-9N, R40E	S. Toiyabe Range
CLOVERDALE	Nye	T9N, R39E	S. Shoshone Range
EASTER BLUE (Republic)	Nye	T7N, R39E	N.W. Royston Hills
ROYSTON	Nye	T5-6N, R39-40E	Royston Hills
SAN ANTONE	Nye	T5-6N, R42E	NW San Antonio Mts.
TONOPAH	Nye - Esmeralda	T2-3N, R42-43E	San Antonio Mts.

Lone Mtn	Zn	Pb, Ag, Cu	X	X				C-Hamburg
S. Sulphur Springs Range	Zn	Pb, Ag, Cu, Au	X	X				O-Vinini Fm (P-Garden Valley)
Roberts Mts.	Pb, Zn	Ag	X	X				O-Vinini Fm (S-Lone Mtn)
Simpson Park Mts.	Pb, Zn	Ag, Cu	X	X				D-Nevado Fm.
S. Simpson Park Mts.	Turquoise	—	X(?)	X				Paleozoic ? - S
E. Big Smokey Valley	W	Ag, Cu	X(?)	X				O-Ls in contact granite
Toquima Range	Turquoise	—	X	X				Paleozoic ? calc
Toquima Range	Au, Barite, Ag	Turquoise	X (Ba)	X (Ag-Au)	X (Au)			O-Pogonip Fm (siltstone) - A D-Slaven Chert T+ Paleozoic - (Ag)
Monitor Range	Ag	Sb, Au		X				O-S-Lone Mtn. T-Welded Tuff
Toquima Range	Au	Ag		X				T-Welded rhyolite (argillized silt)
Toquima Range	Ag	Au, Sb		X				T-Welded Tuff; Porphyry C-O-Undiff meta
Toquima Range	Au	Ag		X		X	X	T-Rhyolite welded tuff and tuff
Toquima Range	Ag, Hg	Au, Pb		X	X (Hg)			C-O-Palmetto, Cal Fm (meta - K-Granitics
Toquima Range	Ag	Au, Pb, Cu, Turquoise	X	X			X	C-O-Undifferentiated slates
Toquima Range	Au	Ag, Sb	X	X			X	C-Gold Hill Fm. (B ls.) T-Andesite - Rhyo
Toiyabe Range	Ag, Au, W	Pb, Zn, Ba		X			X	C-Gold Hill Fm. K-Granitic Pluton P-Diablo Fm. (calc)
Toiyabe Range	Hg, Sb	Ag, Au, Pb, Cu		X				Late Paleozoic Un C-Gold Hill Fm. P-Diablo Fm.
Toiyabe Range	Hg	—		X				L Paleozoic - Und
Toiyabe Range	F	—		X				T-Rhyolite welded
Shoshone Range	Au	Ag, Cu		X			X	T-Rhyolite/Qtz-ls silicified)
Royston Hills	Ag, Turquoise	Pb, Cu, Zn, Diatomite	X	X				T-Luning Fm (L M-P-Pablo Fm (L
Royston Hills	Turquoise	Ag, Au, Cu, Pb		X				M-P-Pablo Fm (meta-chert
San Antonio Mts.	Mo, Ag	Cu, Pb, Au		X		X		

O - Lower Gila Ls.	X	X	7		± 781,000	No	
O - Vinini Fm (Sh, chert) P - Garden Valley Fm (ls)		X			> 1,400,000	Yes	Large porphyry rhyolitic intrusive Exxon Minerals Co
O - Vinini Fm (ls facies) S - Lone Mtn Dolomite	X	X	NNR		> 30,000	No	Low-grade oil shale
D - Nevada Fm (Ls facies)	X	X	NNR		> 30,000	No	Current Cu-Mo po
Paleozoic ? - Shale		X			?	?	
O - Ls in contact with Jurassic granite		X			± 200,000	No	Contact meta depos
Paleozoic ? calc-sh		X			?	?	
O - Pagonip Fm (?) (silicified limey siltstone) - Au D - Slaven Chert (Ba) T - Paleozoic - (Ag-Au)		X		X	> 1,500,000	Yes	One Au & two oper Active exploration
O - S - Lone Mtn. Dolo. (?) T - Welded Tuff (Sb)		X	PS(?)		> 32,000	No	Sb production from S of the Danville D. Drawing II
T - Welded rhyolite tuff (argillized silicified)		X		X	Value Uncertain	Yes	Same environment & Current development of old dumps
T - Welded Tuff, Qtz - Rhyolite Porphyry C - O - Undiff meta - ls, & meta - sltst		X		X	> 535,000	No	Complex thrust, caldera environment Current ex
T - Rhyolite welded tuff, non-welded tuff and tuff breccia	X	X		X(?)	? (Dissem) > 7,900,000 (Lode) > 11,000,000 (Placer)	Yes	Round Mtn open pit Au Est reserves > 5 million
C - O - Palmetto, Carrara, Wood Canyon Fm (meta-sed) K - Granitics	X	X			± 200,000 (Ag, Au, Pb) > 115,000 (Hg)	Yes	Active exploration for molybdenum in granitic precious metals
C - O - Undifferentiated Carbonates & slates	X	X	PR		3,800,000 (Recorded) 15,000,000 (Est)	No	Active exploration in district
C - Gold Hill Fm (inter-bedded schist & ls.) T - Andesite - Rhyolite	X	X	PR		> 10,700,000 (1964) (Over 270,000,000 at \$500/oz Au)	Yes	Hg, W, Ni occurrences mines, intermittent plac future reserves > \$170
C - Gold Hill Fm K - Granitic Pluton P - Diablo Fm (calc-sh)		X	PS	X	> 2,000,000 (± 500,000, W)	No	Active exploration
Late Paleozoic Undiff. (Hg) C - Gold Hill Fm. } (Sb, others) P - Diablo Fm. }	X	X		X	(Hg) > 68,000 (Sb) > 40,000 (Other) > 1,000	No	Active exploration; Golconda thrust (?) pres
L Paleozoic - Undiff.	X	X		X	?	No	Kleinhampl and others (I and Horse Canyon Distric production shown in Jeff Horse Canyon
T - Rhyolite welded tuff	X	X	PR(?)	X	None Recorded	No	Possible unreported meta poorly defined
T - Rhyolite/Qtz-latite (argillized silicified)	X	X	PR(?)	X	< 20,000	No	Area has been recently alluvial (placer) areas
R - Luning Fm (Ls member) M - P - Pablo Fm (greenstone)		X			> 130,000 (Metals) > 130,000 (? - Turq.)	Intermittent	
M - P - Pablo Fm (greenstone, meta-chert)		X	WL		> 5,000,000 (Turq) > 26,000 (Other)	No	Current exploration - re-e
K - Aplitic porphyry (Mo) T - Tonopah Fm (prec metals)		X	WL		> 625,000	Yes	Anaconda Co - Hall Mo in 1981 - Est. reserves 0.13% Mo

		> 1,400,000	Yes	Large porphyry molybdenum deposit in terr. rhyolitic intrusive currently being drilled by Exxon Minerals Co
NNR		> 30,000	No	Low-grade oil shale deposits in Vinini Fm
NNR		> 30,000	No	Current Cu-Mo porphyry exploration
		?	?	
		± 200,000	No	Contact meta deposit
		?	?	
	X	> 1,500,000	Yes	One Au & two operating barite mines, Active exploration
PS(?)		> 32,000	No	Sb production from the King Solomon Mine 15 mi S of the Danville District as shown on Drawing II
	X	Value Uncertain	Yes	Same environment & lithology as Round Mtn., Current development activity & re-working old dumps
	X	> 535,000	No	Complex thrust, caldera margin, intrusive environment. Current exploration activity.
	X(?)	? (Dissem) > 7,900,000 (Lode) > 11,000,000 (Placer)	Yes	Round Mtn open pit Au mine - Est reserves: > 5 million oz Au
		± 200,000 (Ag, Au, Pb) > 115,000 (Hg)	Yes	Active exploration for possible porphyry molybdenum in granitic plutons and for precious metals
PR		3,800,000 (Recorded) 15,000,000 (Est)	No	Active exploration in the western part of the district
PR		> 10,700,000 (1964) (Over 270,000,000 at \$500/oz Au)	Yes	Hg, W, Ni occurrences present; Three operating mines, intermittent placer mining. Estimated future reserves: > \$170,000,000
PS	X	> 2,000,000 (± 500,000, W)	No	Active exploration
	X	(Hg) > 68,000 (Sb) > 40,000 (Other) > 1,000	No	Active exploration; Golconda thrust (?) present
	X	?	No	Kleinhampl and others (1980) combine the Jett and Horse Canyon Districts, but most of the Hg production shown in Jett probably came from Horse Canyon.
PR(?)	X	None Recorded	No	Possible unreported metal production, district is poorly defined
PR(?)	X	< 20,000	No	Area has been recently re-staked in the alluvial (placer) areas
		> 130,000 (Metals) > 130,000 (?-Turq.)	Intermittent	
WL		> 5,130,000 (Turq) > 26,000 (Other)	No	Current exploration - re-evaluation
WL		> 625,000	Yes	Anaconda Co - Hall Mo mine to begin operating in 1981 - Est reserves of +140mm tons over 0.13 % MoS ₂
WL, WS	X	150,000,000	Yes	Active re-evaluation of several mines in the district

		R42E	
HORSE CANYON	Nye	T9N, R41-42E	S E. Toiyabe Range
COLTON	Nye	T8-9N, R40E	S. Toiyabe Range
CLOVERDALE	Nye	T9N, R39E	S. Shoshone Range
EASTER BLUE (Republic)	Nye	T7N, R39E	N.W. Royston Hills
ROYSTON	Nye	T5-6N, R39-40E	Royston Hills
SAN ANTOINE	Nye	T5-6N, R42E	NW San Antonio Mts.
TONOPAH	Nye - Esmeralda	T2-3N, R42-43E	San Antonio Mts
CROW SPRINGS	Nye - Esmeralda	T5N, R39E	Royston Hills
DIVIDE	Esmeralda	T2N, R42E	S. San Antonio Mts.
KLONDYKE	Esmeralda	T1N, R43E	S. San Antonio Mts.
LONE MTN.-WEEPAH	Esmeralda	T2N, R40-41E	Gen. Thomas Hills
MONTEZUMA	Esmeralda	T2-3S, R42-43E	Montezuma Range
GOLDFIELD	Esmeralda - Nye	T2-3S, R42-43E	Goldfield Hills
DIAMONDFIELD	Esmeralda	T2S, R42-43E	Goldfield Hills
TOGNONI SPRINGS	Nye	T2-3S, R43E	E. Goldfield Hills

PRIMARY SOURCES OF DATA: Albers & Stewart, 1972; Bonham & Garside,
Hose & Others, 1977; Stewart & Carlson, 197

ABBREVIATIONS USED FOR LINEAMENTS: Walker Lane - WL; Warm Spring

Pyabe Range	Hg	—		X				L - Paleozoic - Undiff
Pyabe Range	F	—		X				T - Rhyolite welded tuff
Pyabe Range	Au	Ag, Cu		X			X	T - Rhyolite/Qtz-latitude (silicified)
Pyabon Hills	Ag, Turquoise	Pb, Cu, Zn Diatomite	X	X				T - Luning Fm (Ls meta) M-P - Pablo Fm (greenstone)
Pyabon Hills	Turquoise	Ag, Au, Cu, Pb		X				M-P - Pablo Fm (greenstone meta-chert)
Pyabon Antonio Mts.	Mo, Ag	Cu, Pb, Au		X		X		K - Aplite porphyry (Mo) T - Tonopah Fm (precipitation)
Pyabon Antonio Mts.	Ag, Au	Pb, Zn		X				T - Mizpah Trachyte (andesite) Fraction Tuff (rhyolite flow)
Pyabon Hills	Turquoise	—		X				K - Qtz - monz T - Excelsior Fm (tuff)
Pyabon Antonio Mts.	Ag, Au	—		X				T - Fraction Breccia (rhyolite ash flow)
Pyabon Antonio Mts.	Ag	Au		X				E - Emigrant Fm (ls) K - Granite (Qtz - monz.?)
Pyabon Hills	Au, Ag	Turquoise, Pb, Cu, Zn		X				PC - Wyman Fm (meta-) E - Mule Springs Ls
Pyabon Range	Ag, Pb	Bi, Cu	X	X				E - Poleta Fm (ls - sh) PC - Various ls units
Pyabon Hills	Au	Bi, Cu, Ag		X		X	X	T - Dacite, andesite (silicified)
Pyabon Hills	Au, Ag	—		X				T - Dacite, andesite (silicified)
Pyabon Hills	None	None				X		T - Andesite


Pyabon & Garside, 1979; Hose & Others, 1976; Humphrey, 1960; Kleinhampl, 1980; Mardirosian, 1974; Nold & Carlson, 1978; Tingley, 1980a, b, c

Pyabon; Warm Springs - WS; Pancake Range - PR; Pritchards Station - PS, Northern Nevada Rift - NNR

Paleozoic - Undiff	X	X		X	?	No	Kleinhampl and others (1974) and Horse Canyon District production shown in Jett Horse Canyon
T - Rhyolite welded tuff	X	X	PR(?)	X	None Recorded	No	Possible unreported meta poorly defined
T - Rhyolite/Qtz-latite (argillized silicified)	X	X	PR(?)	X	< 20,000	No	Area has been recently alluvial (placer) areas
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M-P - Pablo Fm (greenstone, meta-chert)		X	WL		> 5,130,000 (Turq) > 26,000 (Other)	No	Current exploration - re-e
K - Aplite porphyry (Mo) T - Tonopah Fm (prec metals)		X	WL		> 625,000	Yes	Anaconda Co - Hall Mo in 1981 - Est reserves 0.13 % Mo S ₂
T - Mizpah Trachyte (andesite); Fraction Tuff (rhy welded ash flow)		X	WL, WS	X	150,000,000	Yes	Active re-evaluation of district
K - Qtz - monz R - Excelsior Fm (tuff-bre)		X	WL		?	No	
T - Fraction Breccia (rhy, qtz latite ash flow)		X	WL	X	> 3,500,000	Yes	Falcon Exploration - Tonop
E - Emigrant Fm (ls) K - Granite (Qtz - monz ?)		X	WL		> 67,000	No	Active exploration, possi
PE - Wyman Fm (meta-siltst & ls) E - Mule Springs Ls		X	WL		> 1,380,000	Yes	Lone Mtn Mining Co - Tu Active exploration, Spatia Lone Mtn and Weepah
E - Poleta Fm (ls - sh) PE - Various ls units		X	WL		> 220,000	No	Intrusive rhyolites flank Active exploration
T - Dacite, andesite (silicified, alunitized)		X	WL	X	> 90,000,000	Yes	Placer, Active exploration grade Au in place and f
T - Dacite, andesite (silicified - alunitized)		X	WL	X	> 52,000	No	Actual production probab
T - Andesite		X	WL		None Recorded	No	Native sulfur occurrence

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	X	?	No	Kleinhampl and others (1980) combine the Jett and Horse Canyon Districts, but most of the Hg production shown in Jett probably came from Horse Canyon
PR(?)	X	None Recorded	No	Possible unreported metal production, district is poorly defined
PR(?)	X	< 20,000	No	Area has been recently re-staked in the alluvial (placer) areas
		> 130,000 (Metals) > 130,000 (?-Turq)	Intermittent	
WL		> 5,130,000 (Turq) > 26,000 (Other)	No	Current exploration - re-evaluation
WL		> 625,000	Yes	Anaconda Co - Hall Mo mine to begin operating in 1981 - Est reserves of +140mm tons aver 0.13 % MoS ₂
WL, WS	X	150,000,000	Yes	Active re-evaluation of several mines in the district
WL		?	No	
WL	X	> 3,500,000	Yes	Falcon Exploration - Tonopah-Divide Ag mine
WL		> 67,000	No	Active exploration, possible development
WL		> 1,380,000	Yes	Lone Mtn Mining Co - Turquoise Active exploration, Spatial association of ore to Lone Mtn and Weepah plutons.
WL		> 220,000	No	Intrusive rhyolites flank the district Active exploration
WL	X	> 90,000,000	Yes	Placer, Active exploration for large tonnage, low grade Au in place and from old dumps
WL	X	> 52,000	No	Actual production probably >\$1mm
WL		None Recorded	No	Native sulfur occurrence



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HISTORY OF THE ORGANIZED MINING
DISTRICTS IN THE MX ADDITIONAL VALLEY
MINERAL RESOURCES SURVEY STUDY AREA
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AGE		MAP SYMBOL		GENERALIZED LITHOLOGY		
CENOZOIC	QUATERNARY		Qal	Recent alluvium, locally undifferentiated		
			Qpl	Playa deposit, locally marshland		
			Qs	Recent sand dunes		
			Ql	Lakebed deposits		
			Qoa	Older alluvium, undifferentiated		
	TERTIARY		Qb	Basaltic lava flows		
			Tv	Younger volcanic rocks, undifferentiated		
			Tb	Mafic volcanic rocks		
			Ta	Intermediate volcanic rocks		
			Tr	Silicic volcanic rocks - includes shallow intrusives		
			Tg	Intrusive rocks undifferentiated, mainly granodiorite and quartz-monzonite, locally mafic		
			Ts	Limestone, breccia, conglomerate		
MESOZOIC	CRETACEOUS		K	Conglomerate, sand, lacustrine limestone		
			Kg	Intrusive rocks-mainly granodiorite and quartz monzonite		
	JURASSIC		Kv	J-K	Older volcanic rocks, undifferentiated	
			Jg	J-K	Intrusive rocks, undifferentiated	
	TRIASSIC		J	J-J	Sandstone	
			R	R	Triassic-undivided	
		Upper Middle	R m-u		Red beds (non-marine origin) mostly conglomeratic sandstone	
		Lower	Rl		Siltstone, shale, sandstone, and limestone, typically red	
				Pu	Paleozoic, undivided	
				P	Limestone, sandstone, dolomite, gypsum	
			Pa	Limestone, mainly lower and Middle Pennsylvanian		
			Ms	Shale, fetid carbonate beds, some sandstone lenses		
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LITHOLOGY	TYPICAL FORMATION NAMES*	
	WESTERN FACIES (EUGEOSYNCLINAL)	EASTERN FACIES (MIOGEOGYNEOUS)
metasediments		
metasediments	Esmeralda Fm.	
	Gilbert Andesite, Toiyabe Quartz Latite	Gilbert Andesite, Toiyabe Quartz Latite
low intrusives	Oddie Rhyolite	
mainly granodiorite and		
stone		Newark Canyon Fm.
and quartz-monzonite		
		Dunlap Fm.
conglomeratic sandstone	Excelsior Fm., Luning Fm.	
stone, typically red	Candelaria Fm.	Moenkopi Formation
um	Darrough Felsite, Pablo Fm., Diablo Fm.	Carbon Ridge Fm., Garden Valley Fm., Rib Hill S.S.
Pennsylvanian		Ely Limestone, Bird Springs Fm.
stone lenses		Chainman Shale, Eleana Fm., Diamond

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TYPICAL FORMATION NAMES*		AGGREGATE USAGE (see below)
(EUGEOSYNCLINAL)	EASTERN FACIES (MIOGEOSYNCLINAL)	
		Class 1 to 3
		Class 3
		Class 2
		Class 1 to 3
		Class 1 to 2
		Class 1 to 3
		Class 1 to 3
		Class 1 to 3
Toiyabe Quartz Latite	Gilbert Andesite, Toiyabe Quartz Latite	Class 1 to 3
		Class 1 to 3
		Class 1
		Class 3 to 2
	Newark Canyon Fm.	Class 3 to 2
		No data
		Class 2 to 3
		Class 1 to 3
	Dunlap Fm.	Class 3
		Class 3 to 2
ing Fm.		Class 2
	Moenkopi Formation	Class 3
		Class 1 to 3
ablo Fm., Diablo Fm.	Carbon Ridge Fm., Garden Valley Fm., Gerster Ls., Rib Hill S.S.	Class 1 to 3
	Ely Limestone, Bird Springs Fm.	Class 1 to 2
		Class 1 to 3

PALEOZOIC			Paleozoic, undivided	
PERMIAN			P	Limestone, sandstone, dolomite, gypsum
PENNSYLVANIAN			Pe	Limestone, mainly lower and Middle Pennsylvanian
MISSISSIPPIAN	Upper		Mu	Shale, fetid carbonate beds, some sandstone lenses
	Lower		MI	Limestone, mostly fossiliferous
DEVONIAN	Upper			Shale, soft
	Middle to Lower		Dg	Limestone, Dolomite, sandstone
			Ds	Dolomite
SILURIAN	Upper Middle			Dolomite
				Silurian-Ordovician undivided, mostly dolomite
ORDOVICIAN	Upper		Ou	Dolomite
	Middle		Oe	Quartzite and hard sandstone
	Lower		Op	Limestone, conglomerate
CAMBRIAN	Upper Middle		Em-v	Limestone, shale, dolomite
	Lower		Si	Quartzite, phyllitic shale, limestone
PRECAMBRIAN			PCs	Undifferentiated metasedimentary rocks, chiefly quartzite

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Class 3 Aggregate considered unsuitable for concrete and road base materials

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enses		Chainman Shale, Eleana Fm., Diamond Peak Fm.
		Joana Limestone
		Pilot Shale
		Slaven Chert, Devils Gate Limestone, Guilmette
		Nevada Fm., Rabbit Hills Ls.
		Lone Mountain Fm., Roberts Mountain Fm.
ite		
	Palmetto Fm.	Ely Springs Dolomite, Hanson Creek Fm.
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	Palmetto Fm.	Pogonip Group
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efly quartzite and argillite		Deep Spring Fm., Reed Dolomite, Wyman Fm.

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 Fair or dry weather, unimproved surface ————
 Trail ————
 Interchange ————
 Route markers: Interstate, U.S., State ————

RAILROADS

Standard gauge ————
 Narrow gauge ————
 International ————
 State ————
 County ————
 Park or reservation ————

Landplane airport ————
 Landing area ————
 Dry lake ————
 Landmark: School, Church, Other ————
 Mine ————
 Spot elevation in feet ————
 Marsh or swamp ————
 Intermittent or dry stream ————
 Power line ————

Geologic contact

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	Chainman Shale, Eleana Fm., Diamond Peak Fm.	Class 1 to 3
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	Pilot Shale	Class 3
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Single track, Double or Multiple
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GEOLOGIC MAP

PALEOZOIC	DEVONIAN	Upper		Limestone, Dolomite, sandstone	
		Middle to Lower		Dolomite	
	SILURIAN	Upper Middle		S	Dolomite
				OS	Silurian-Ordovician undivided, mostly dolomite
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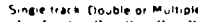





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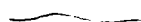
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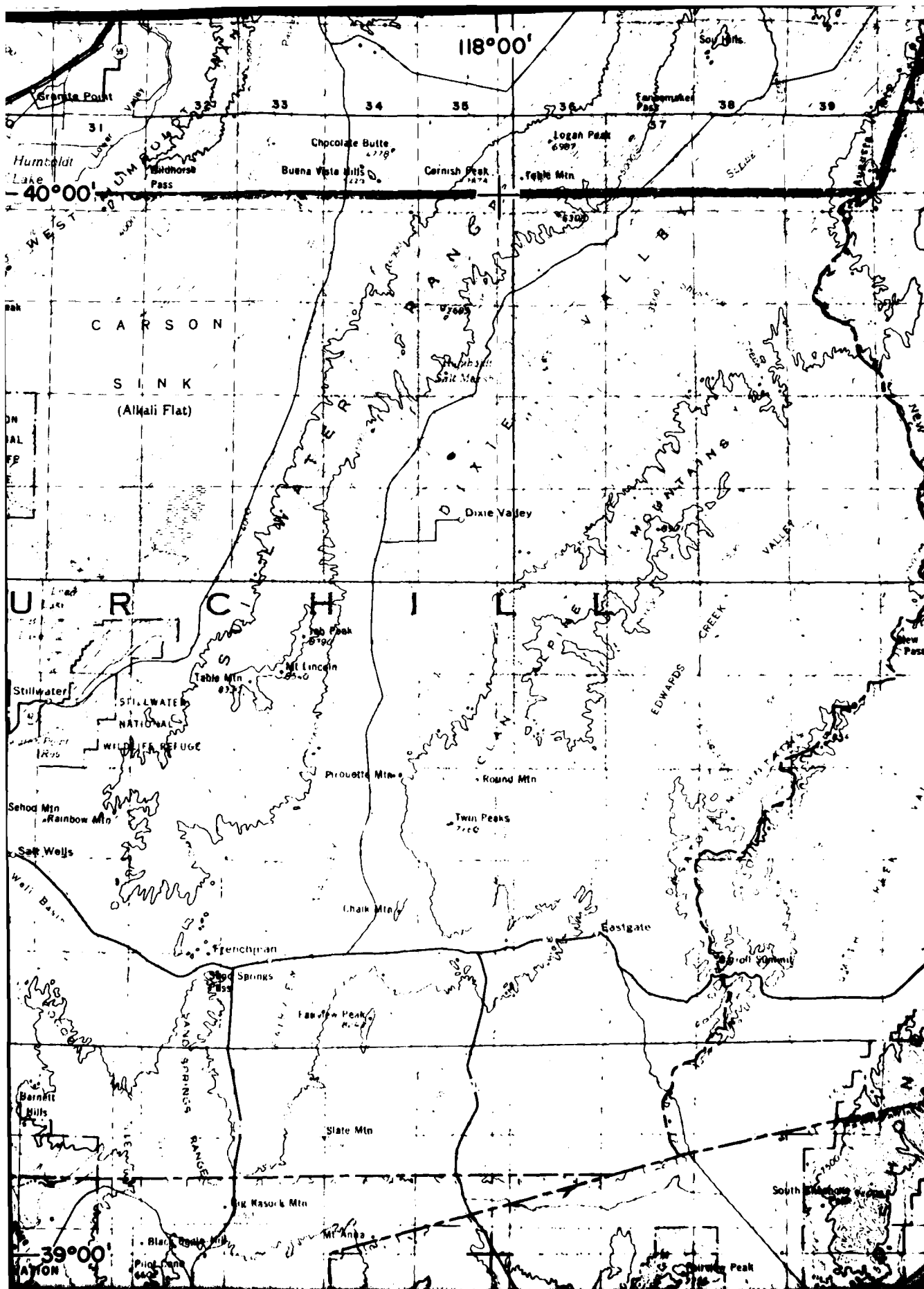
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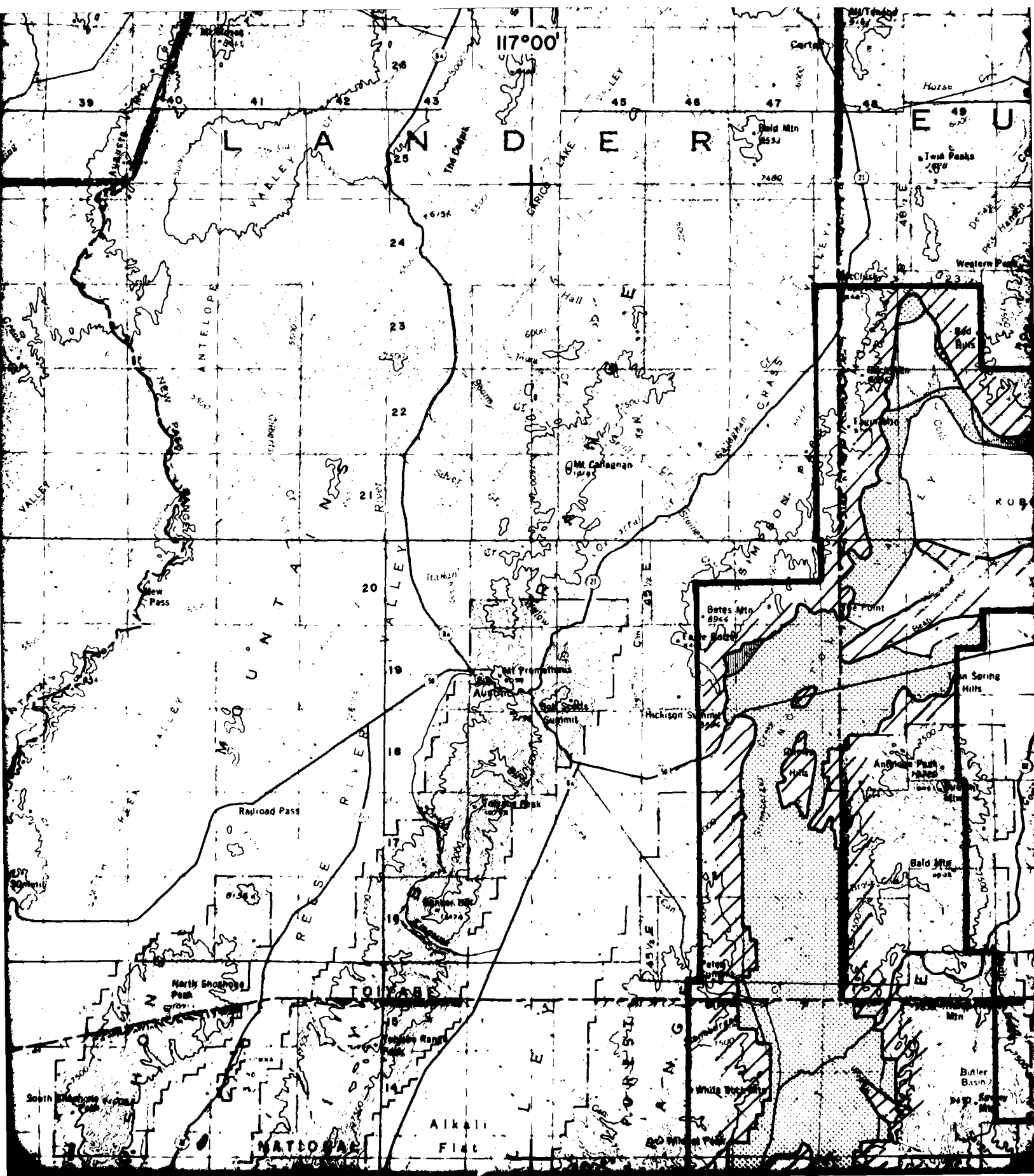
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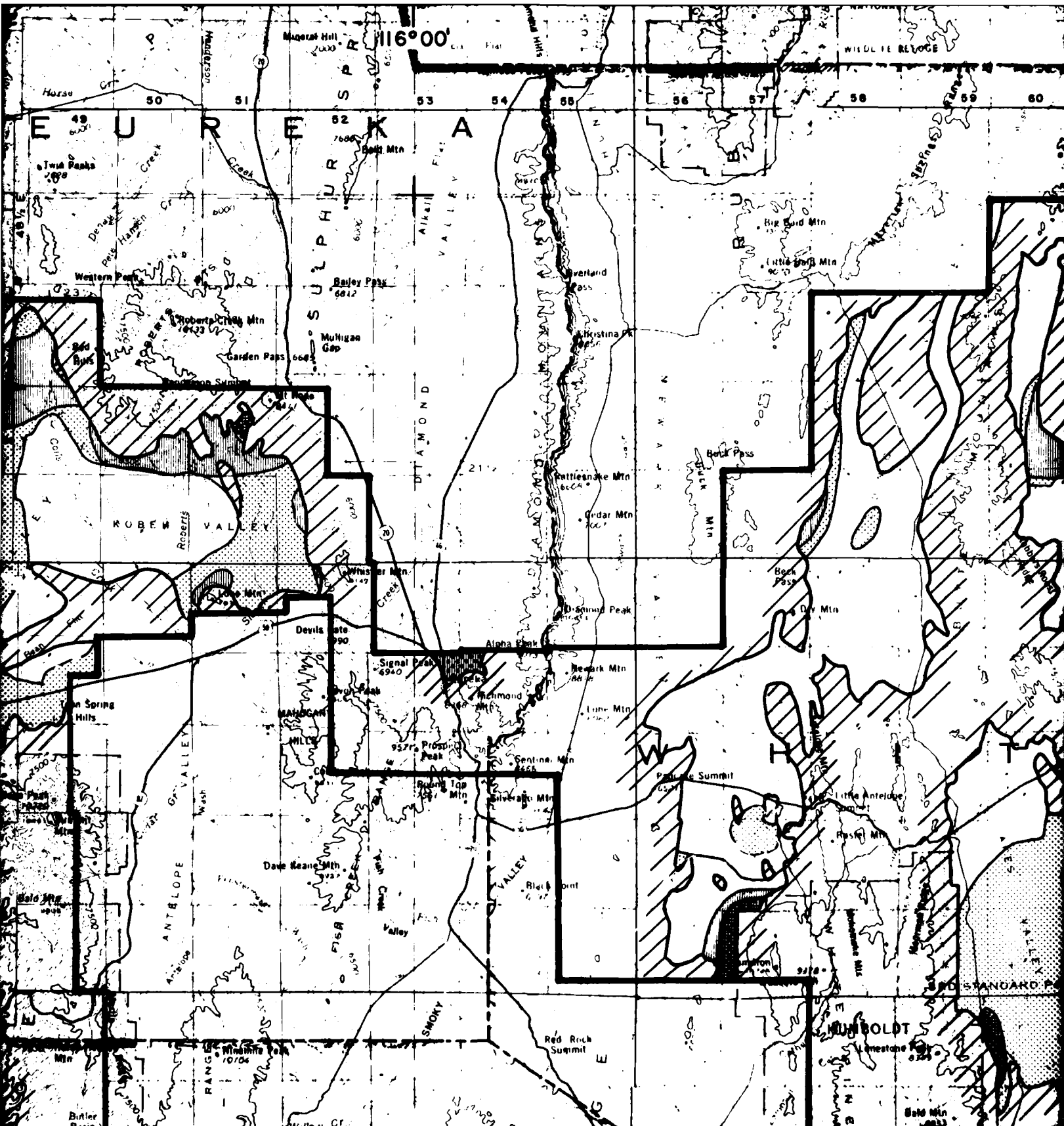
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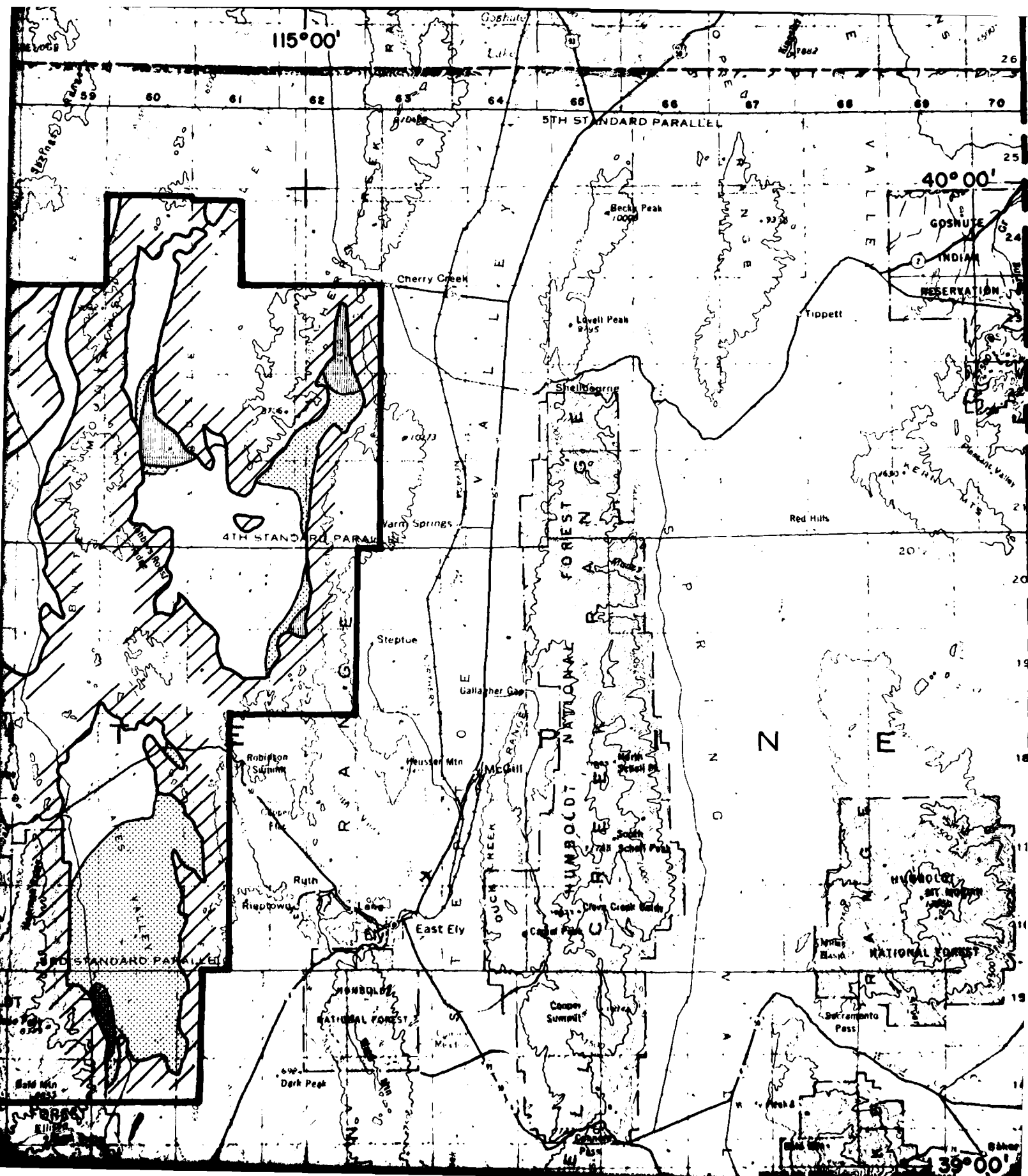
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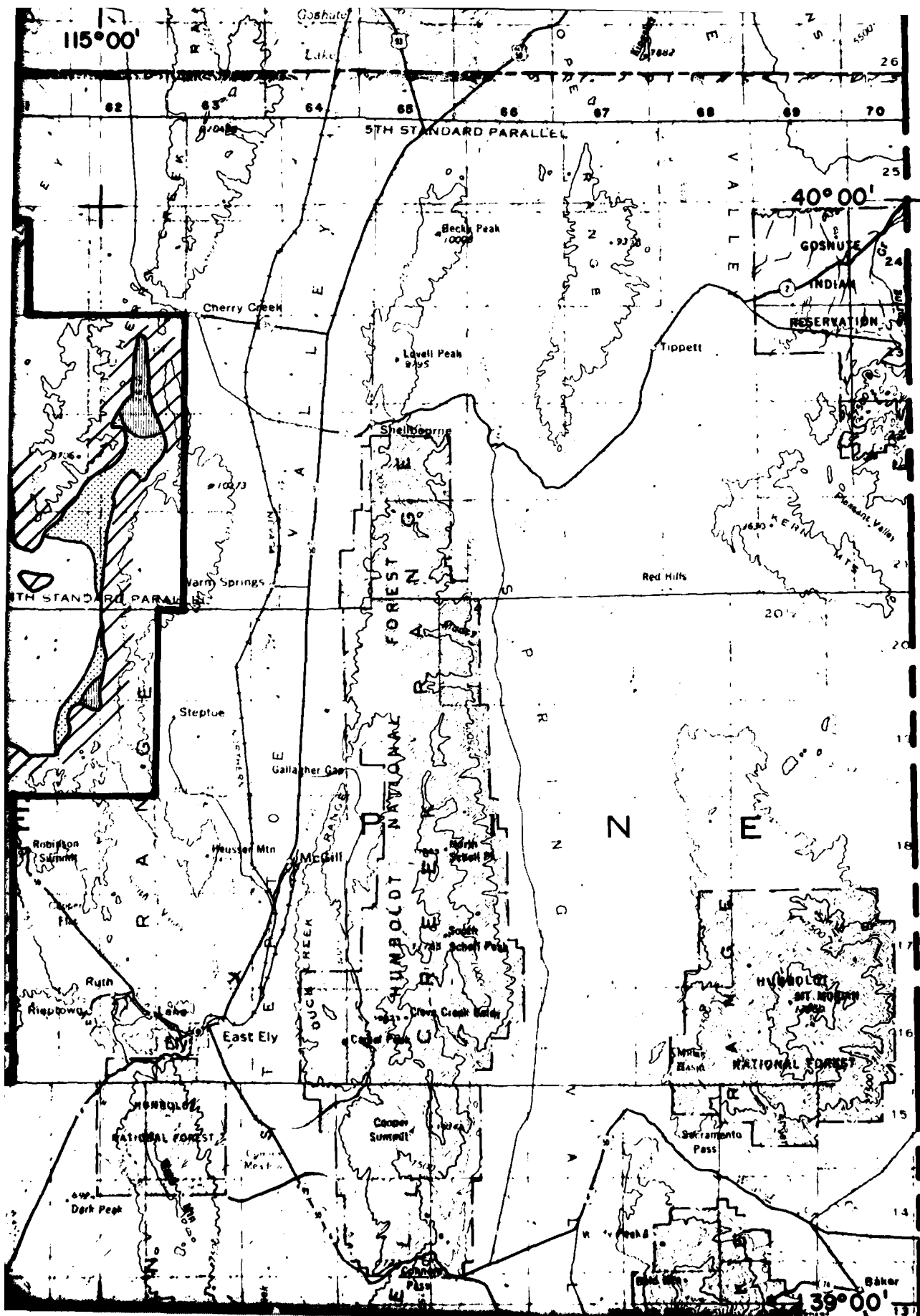
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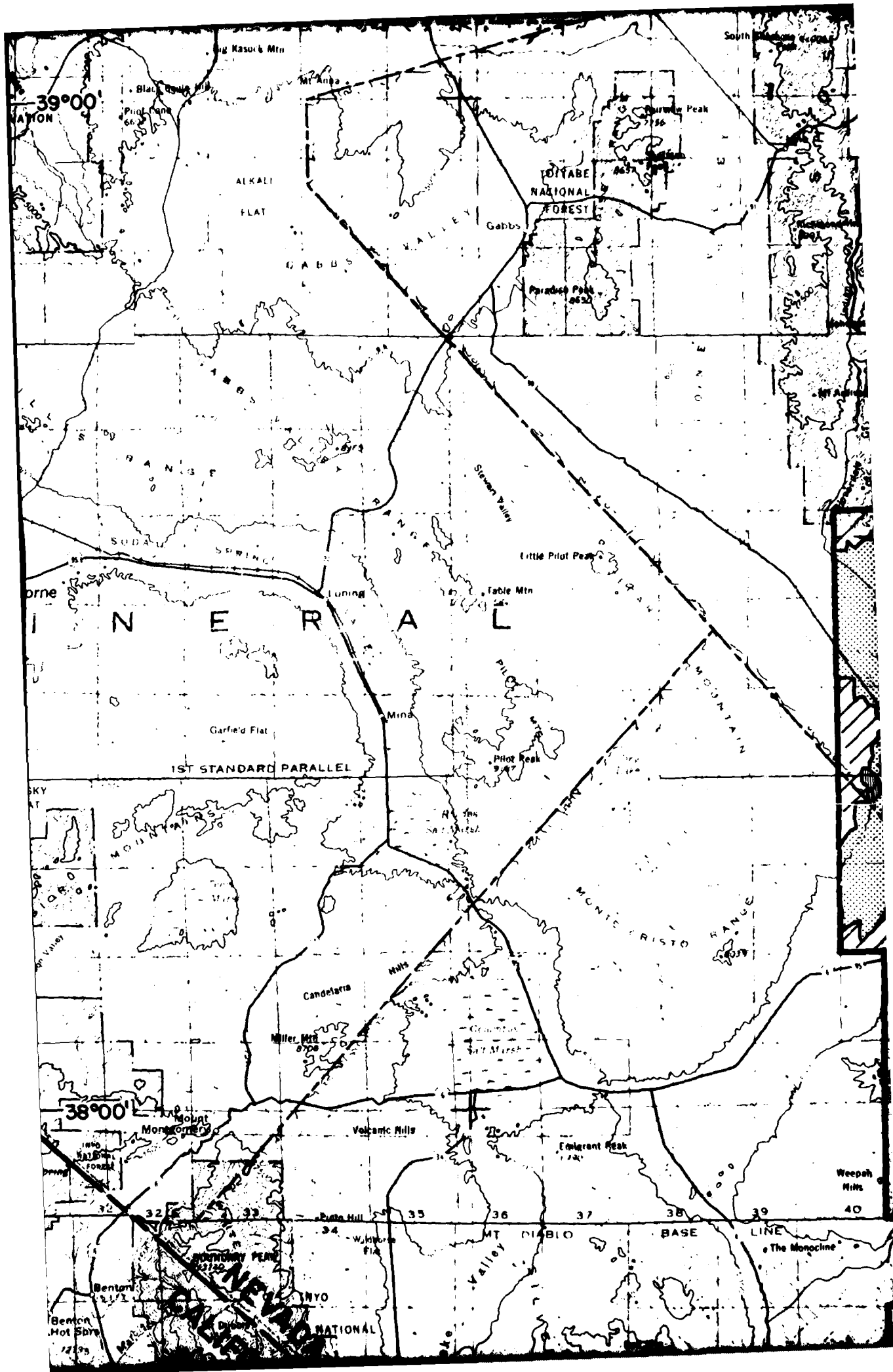


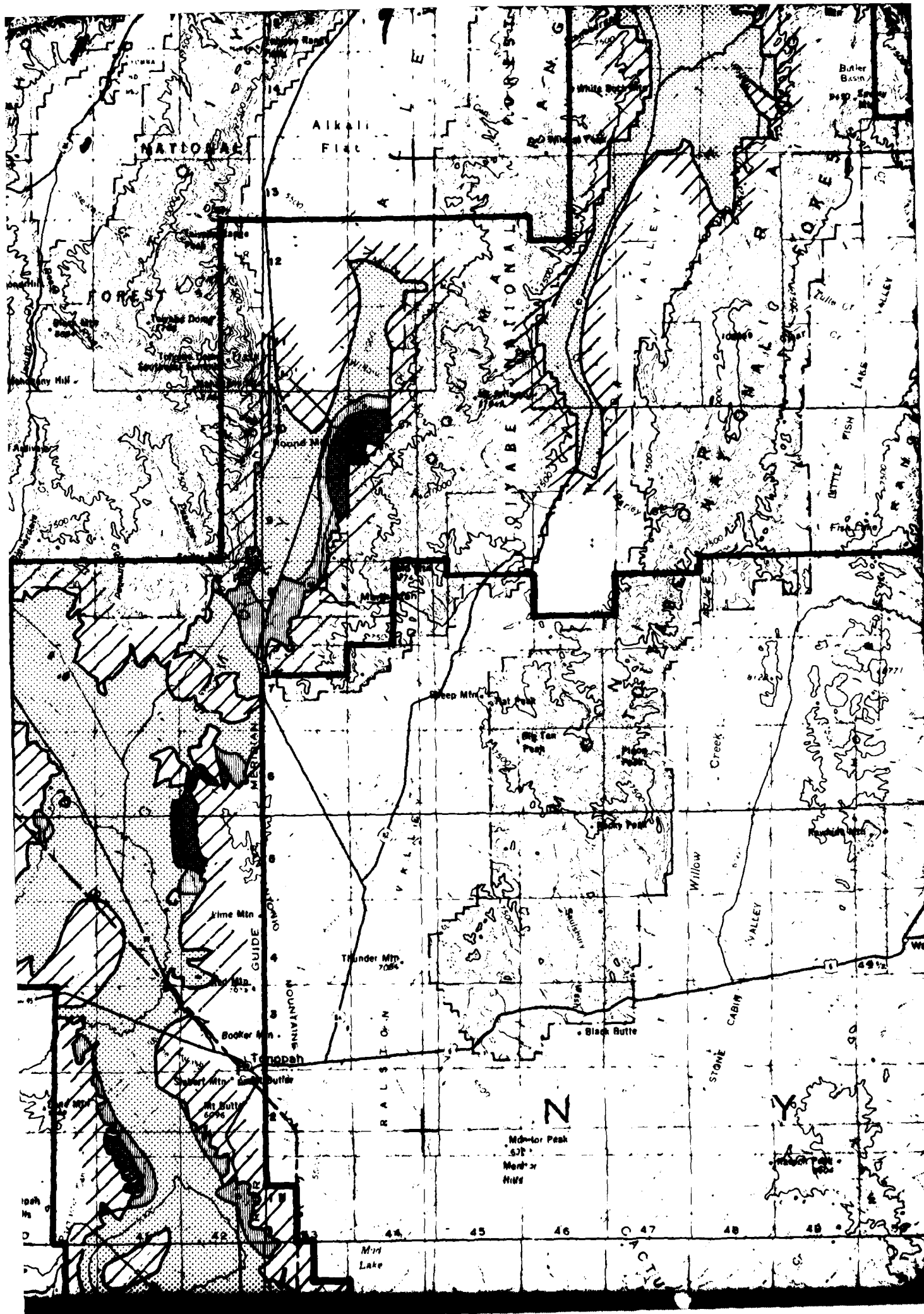


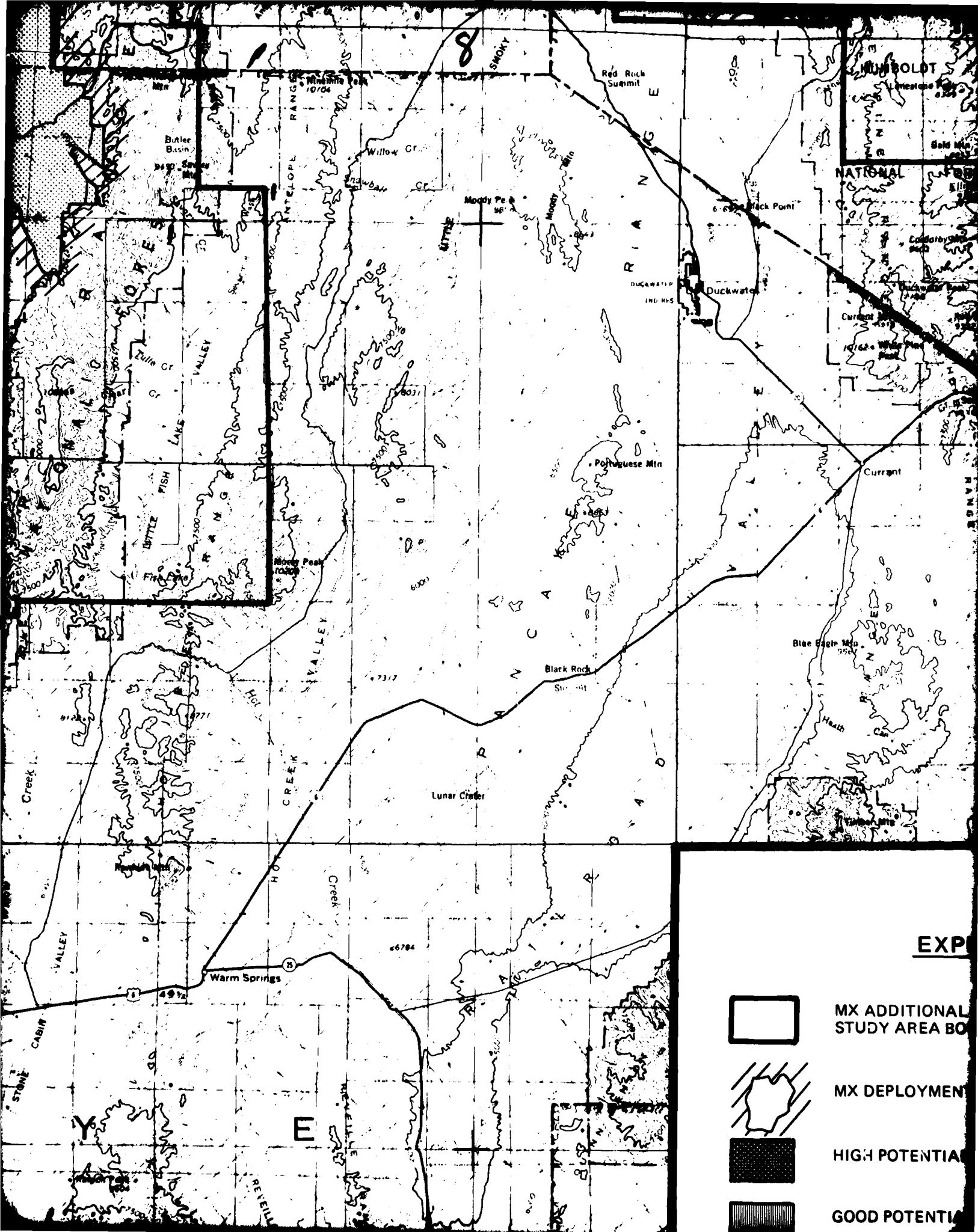


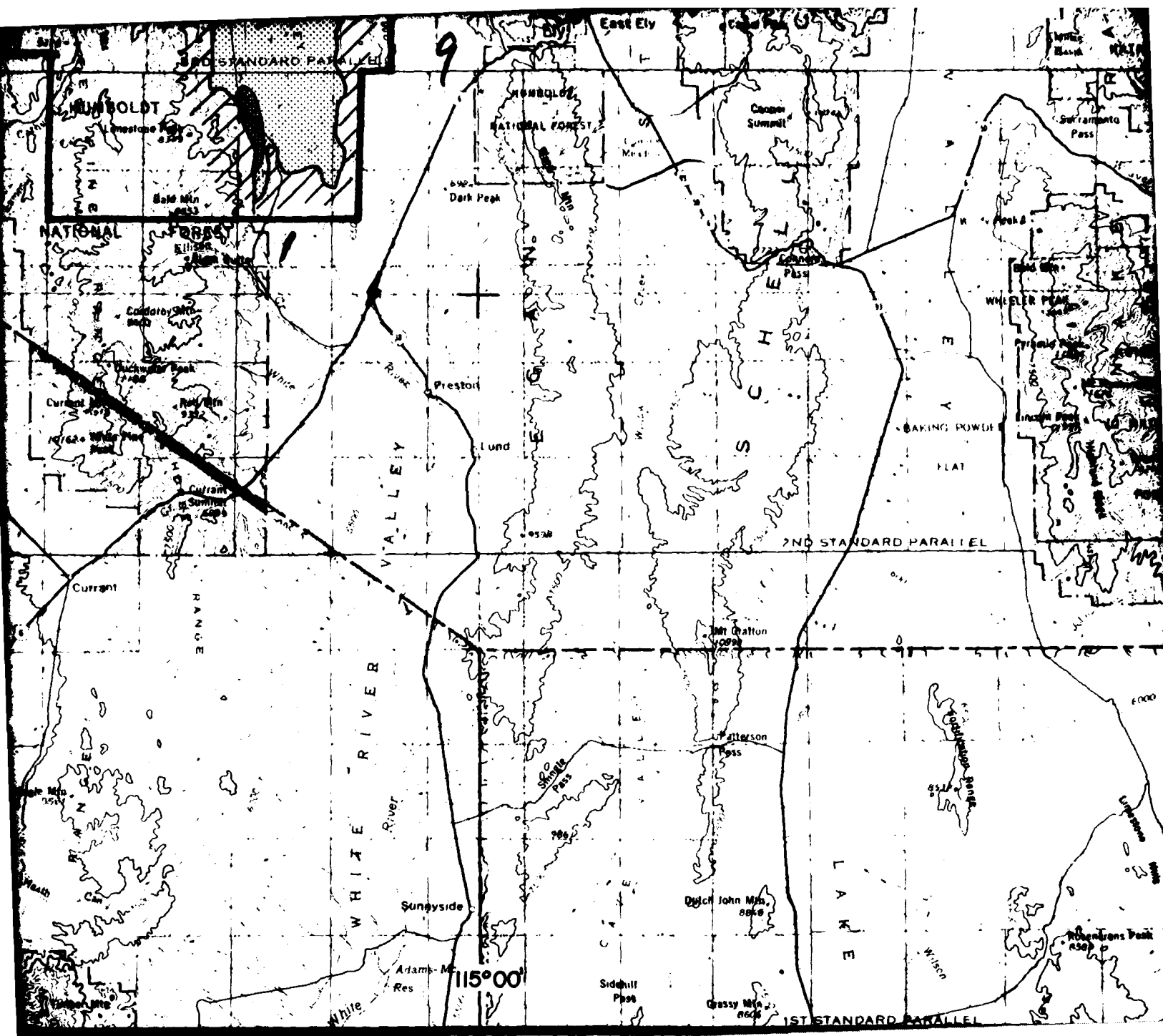


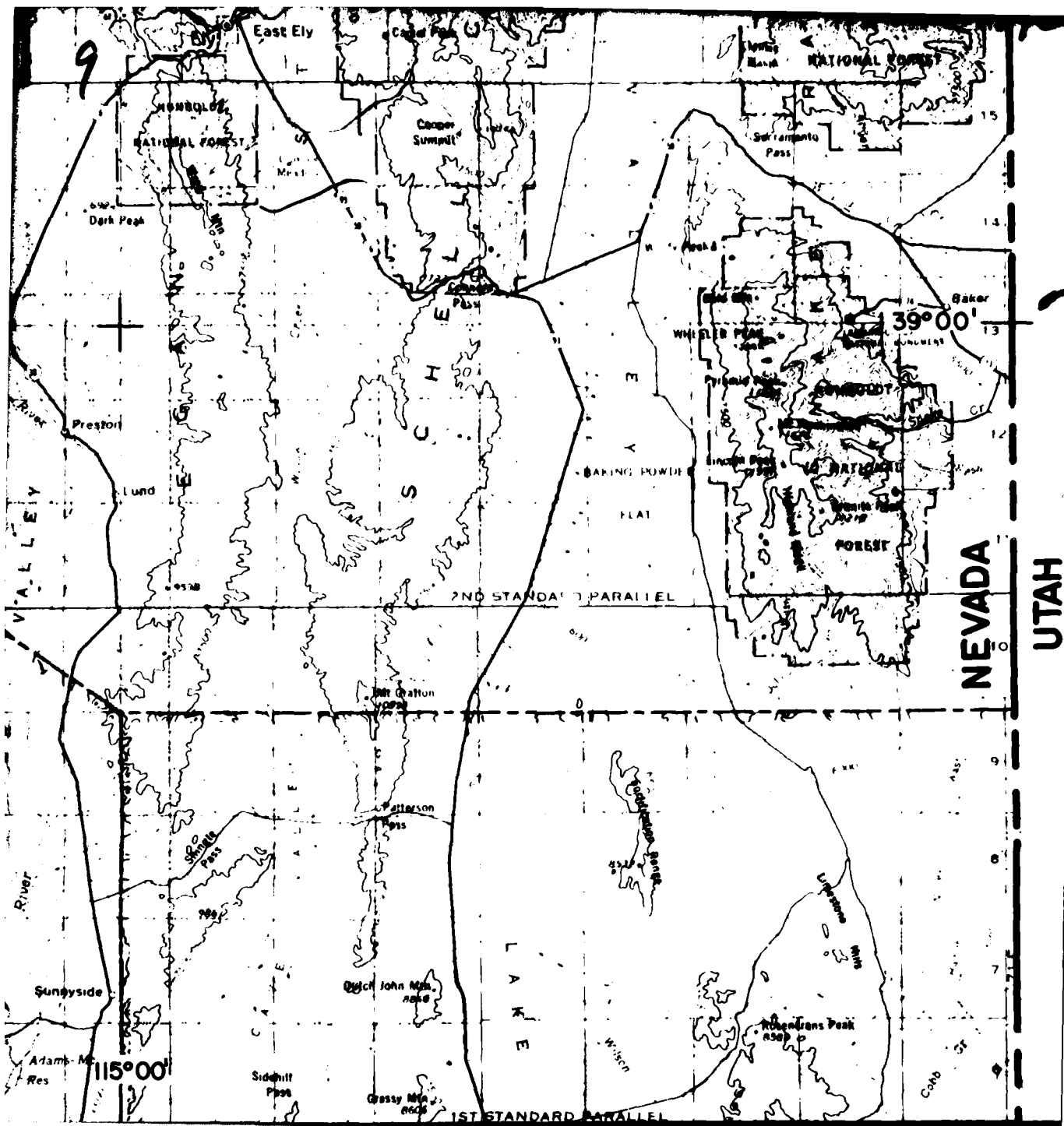


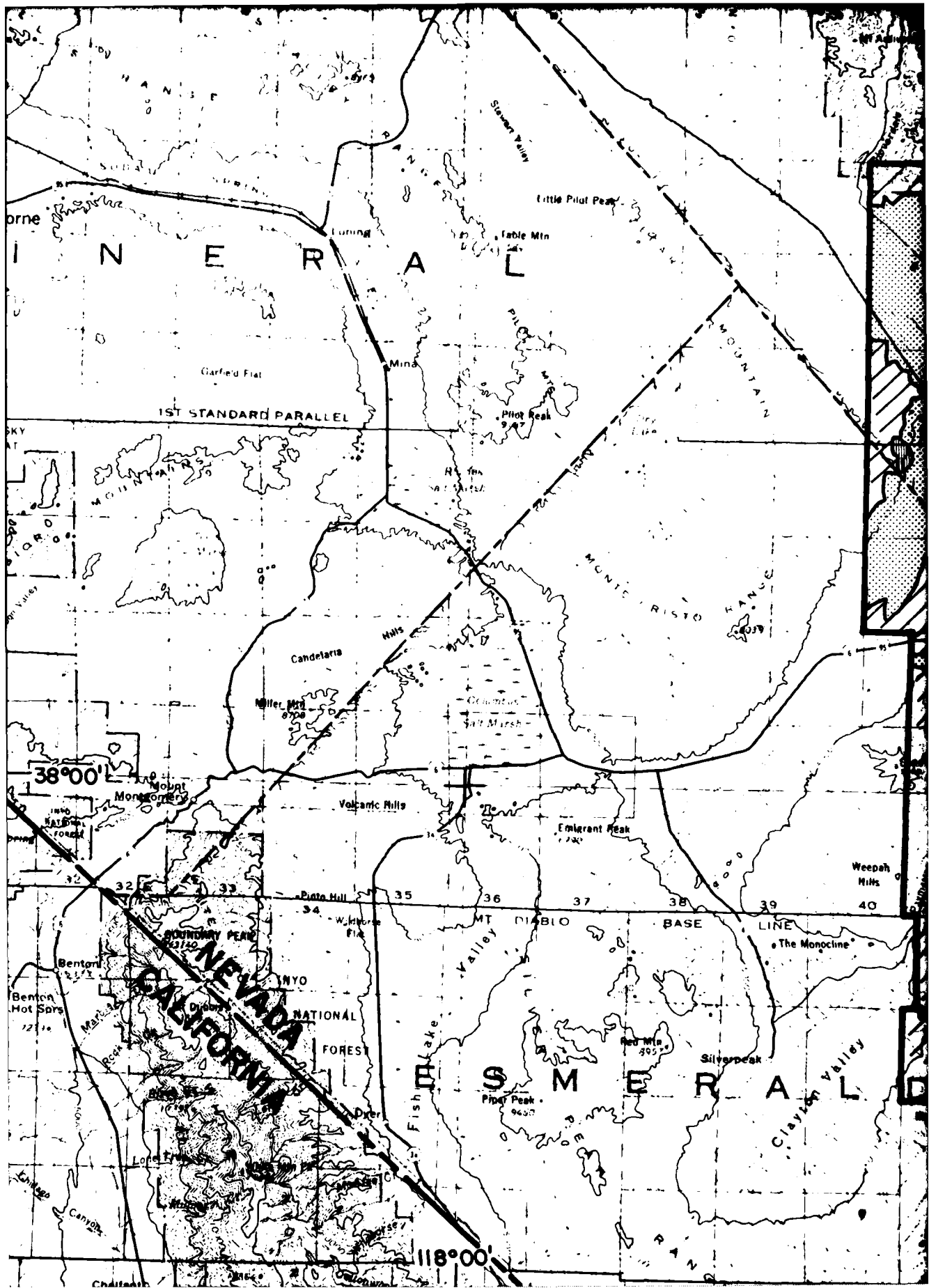


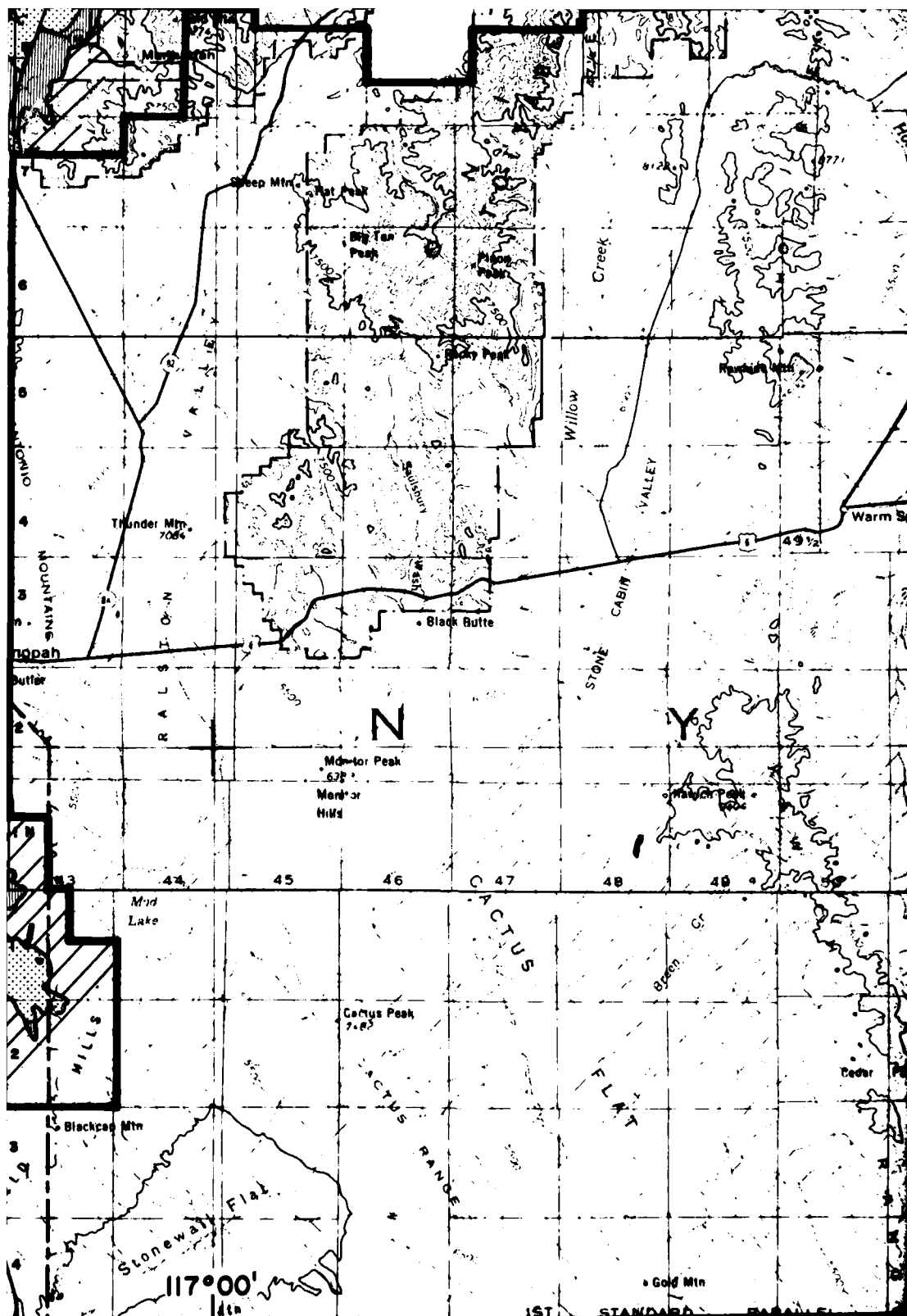


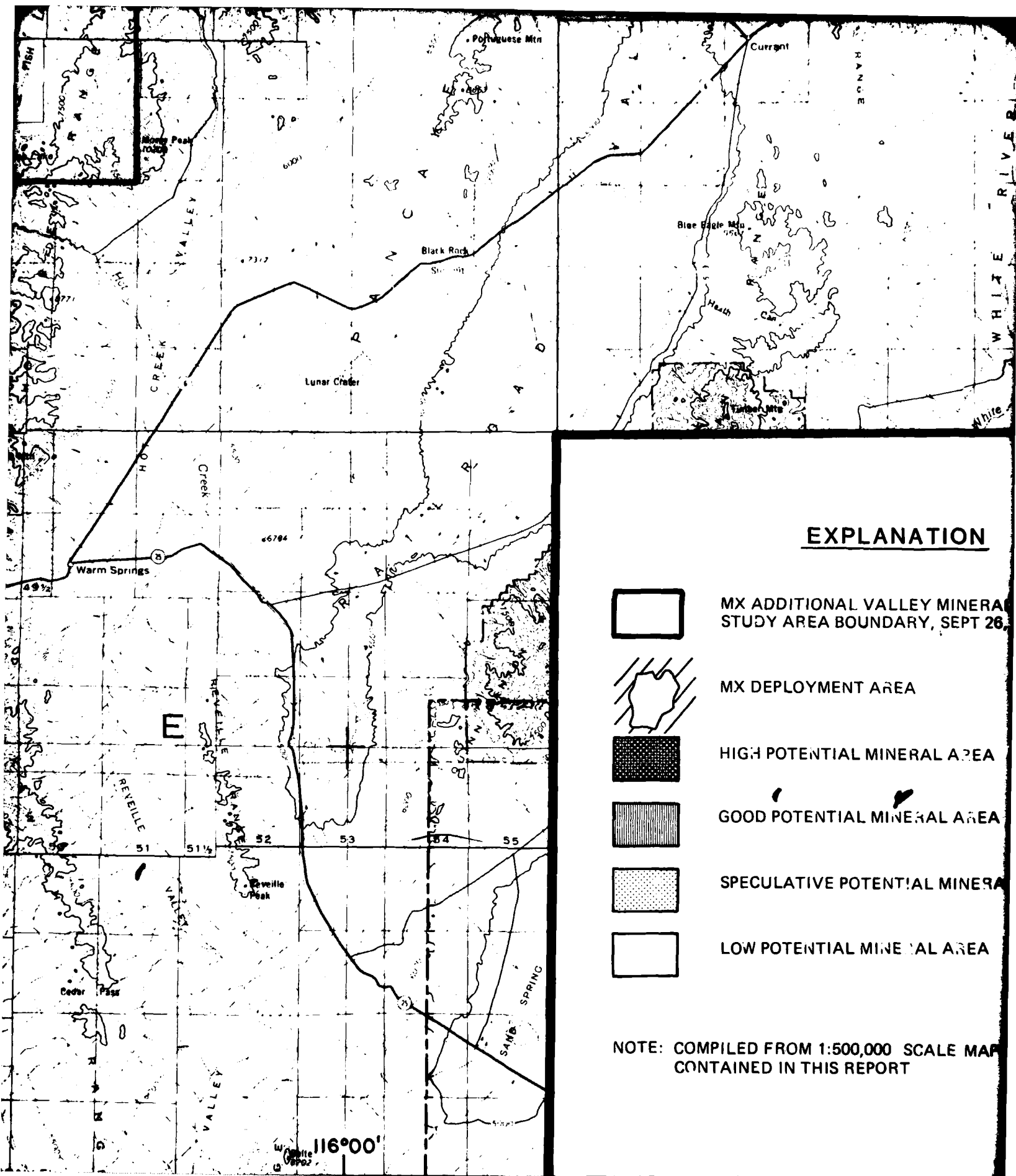












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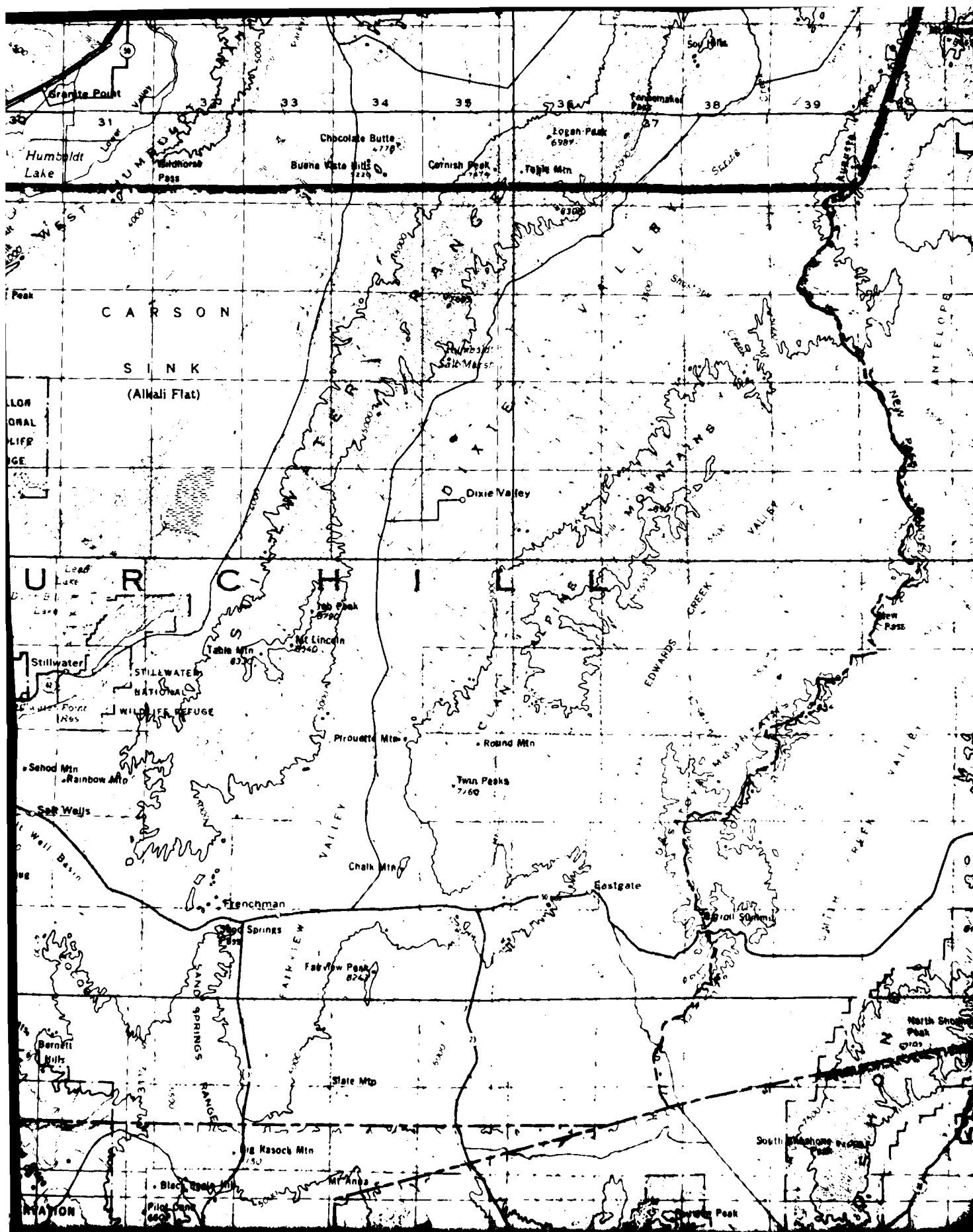
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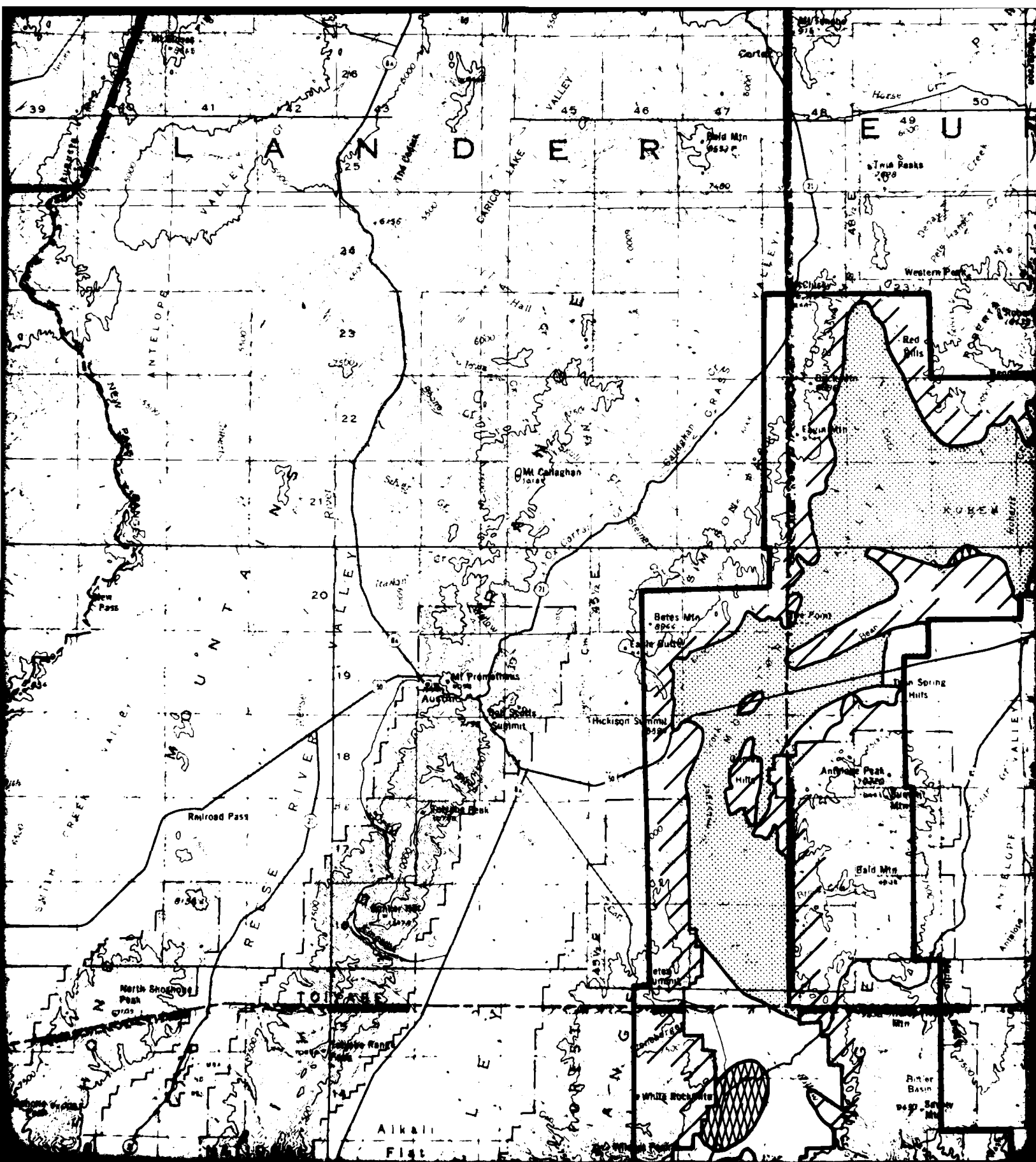
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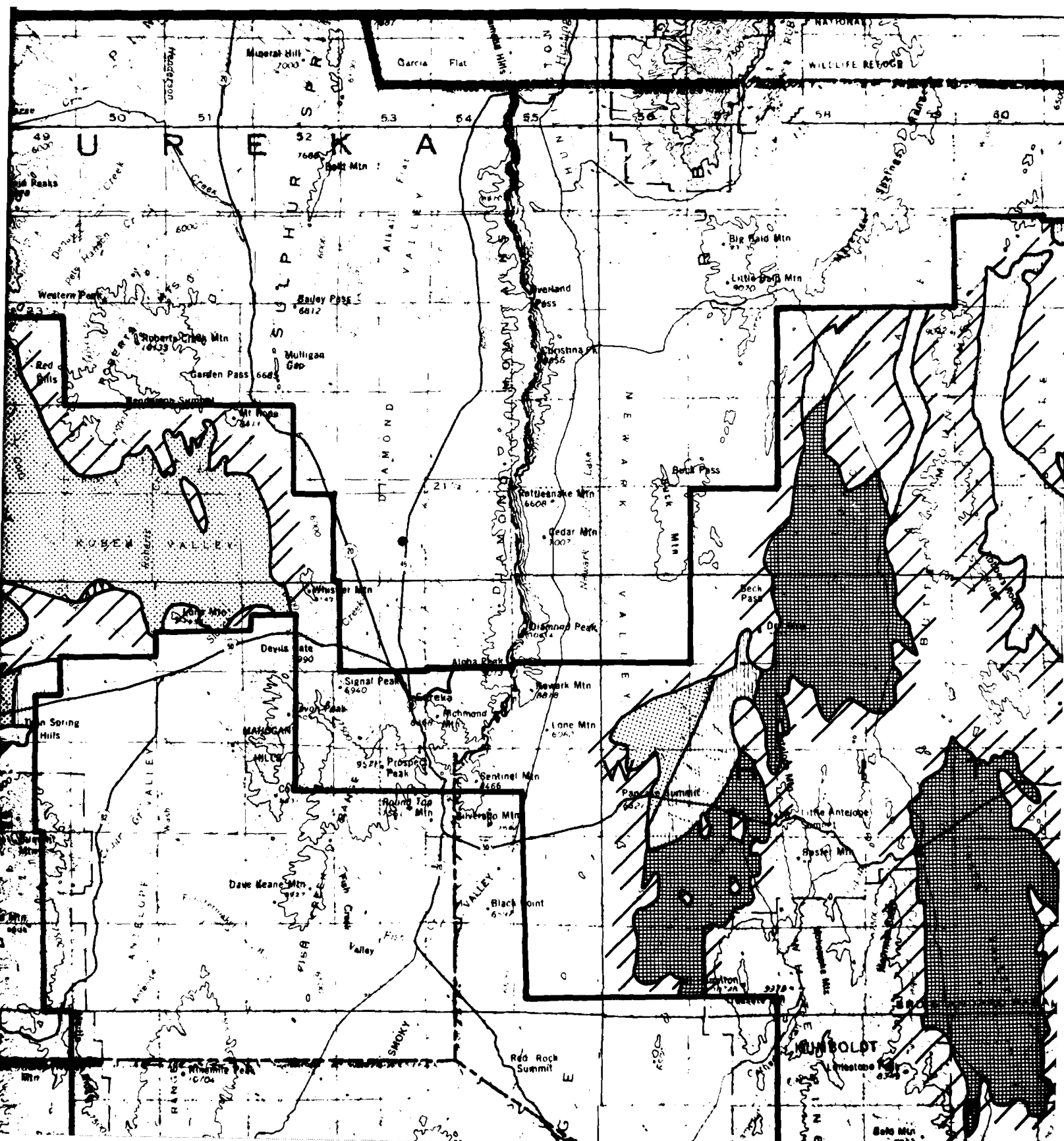
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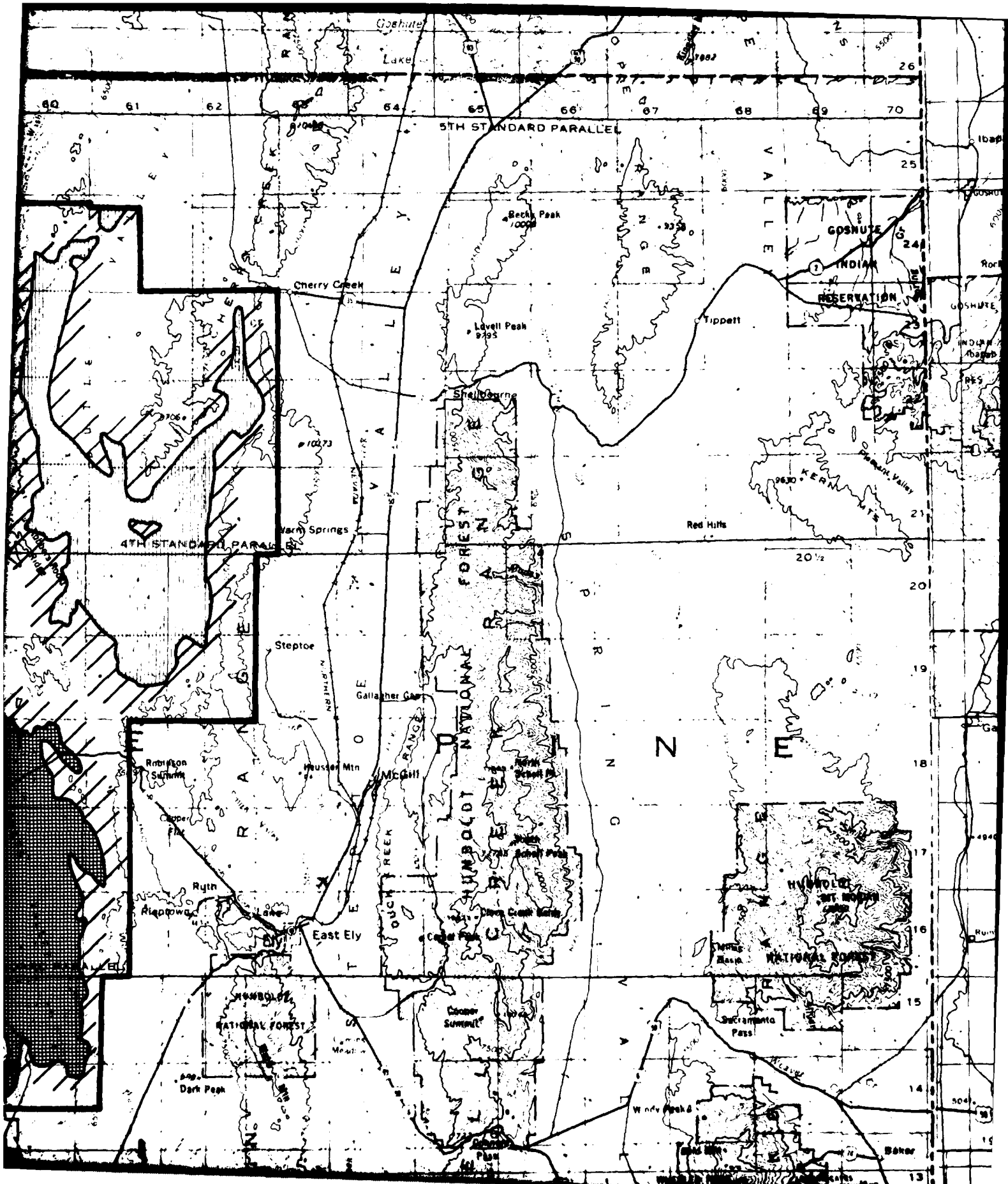
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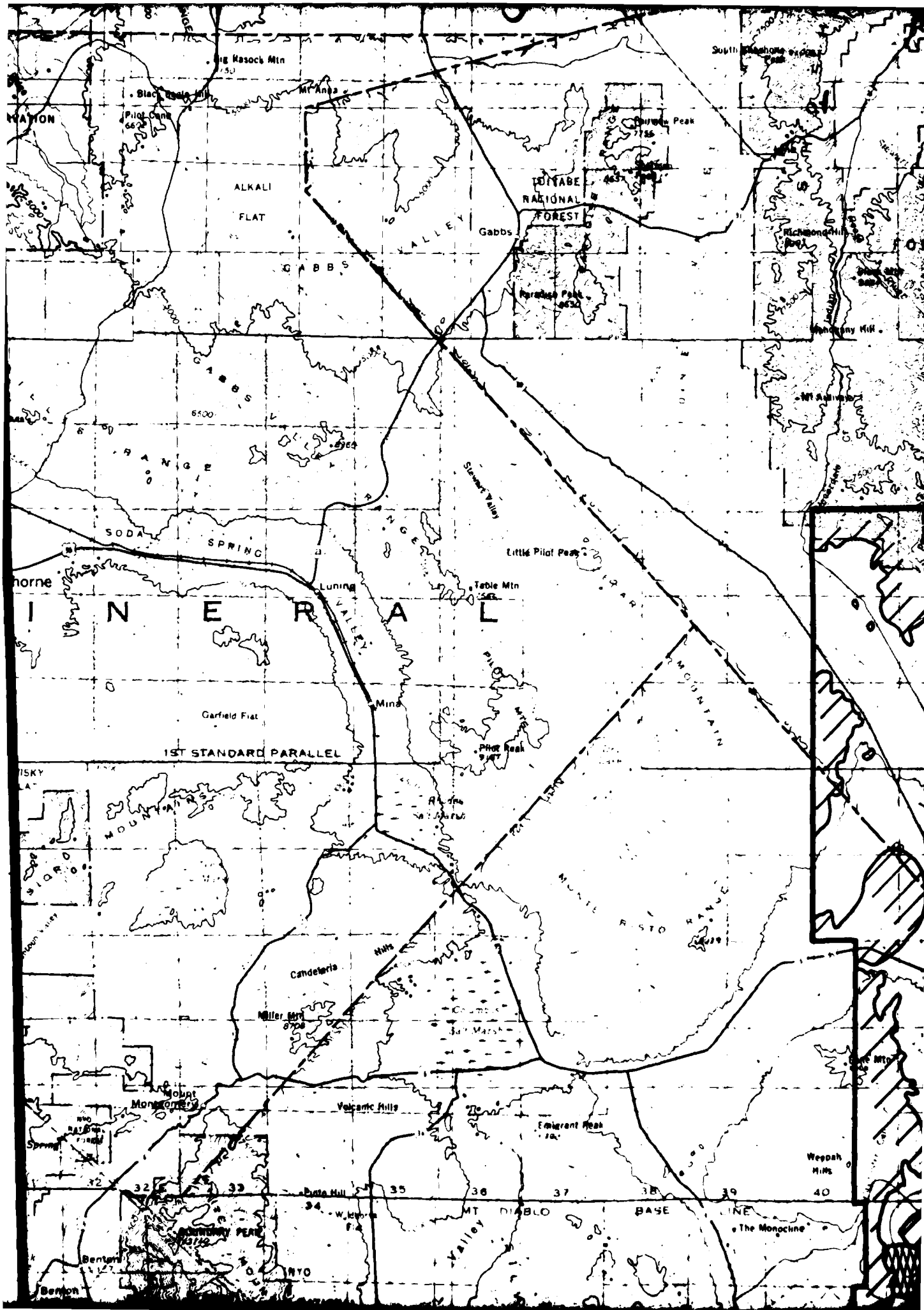
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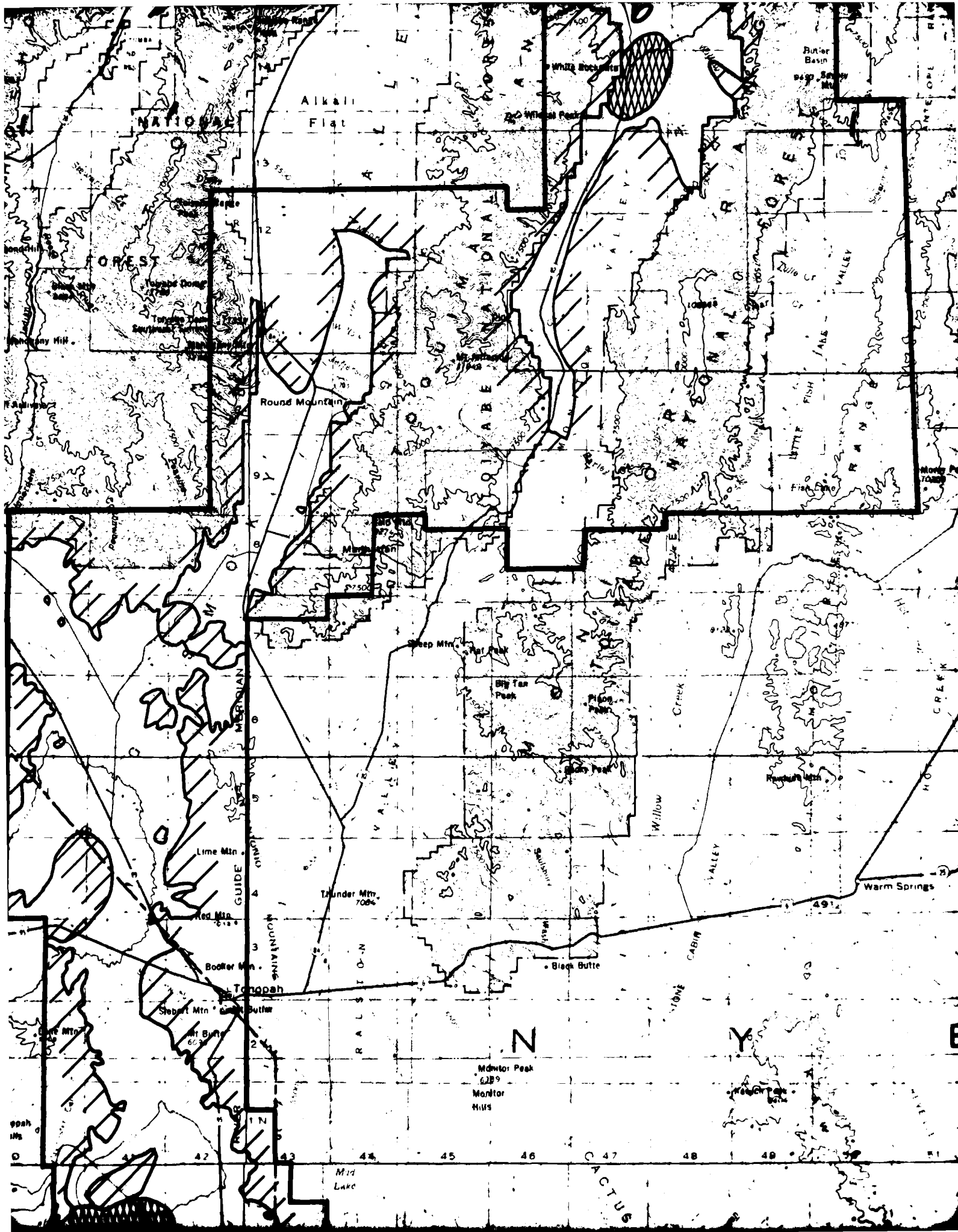


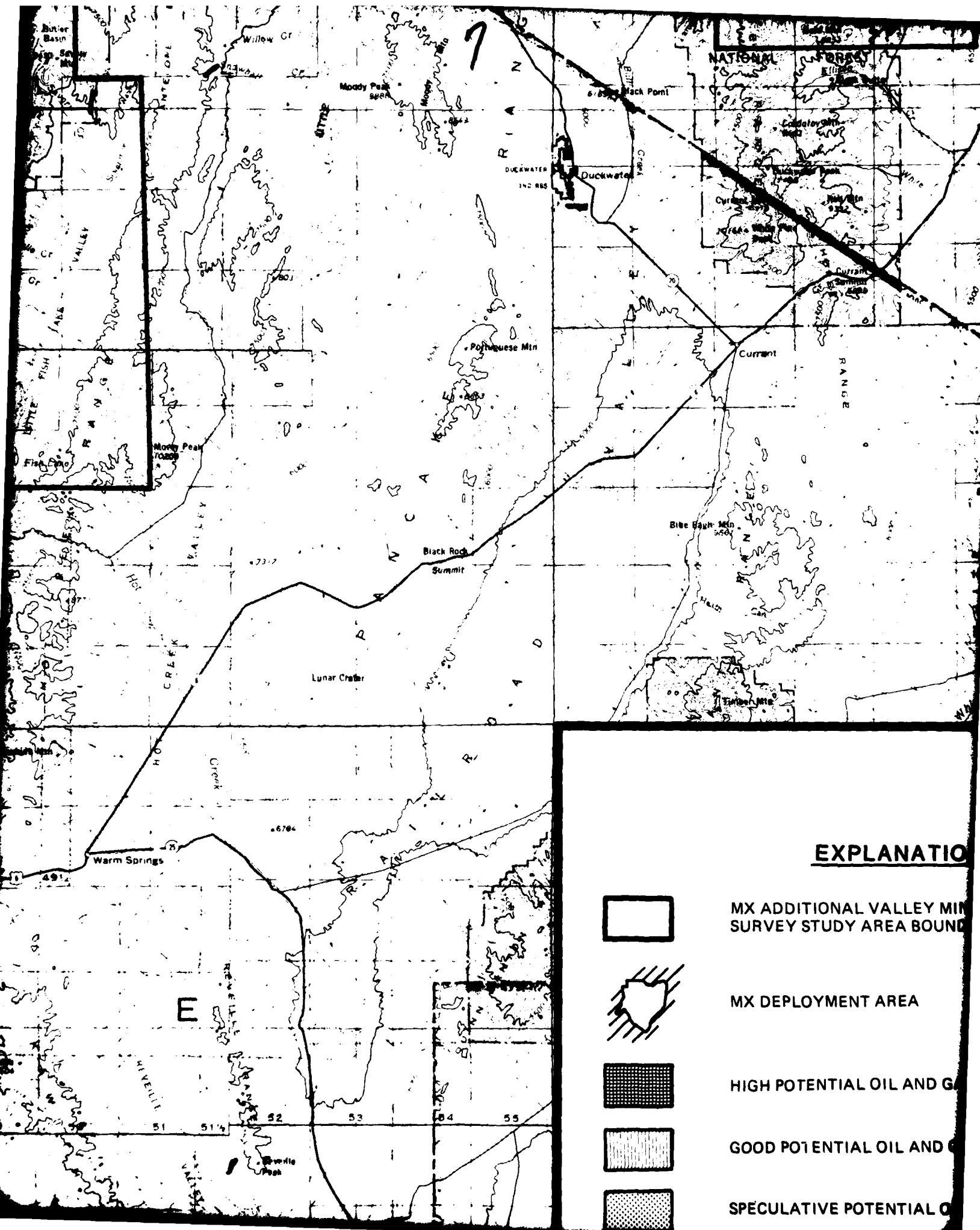


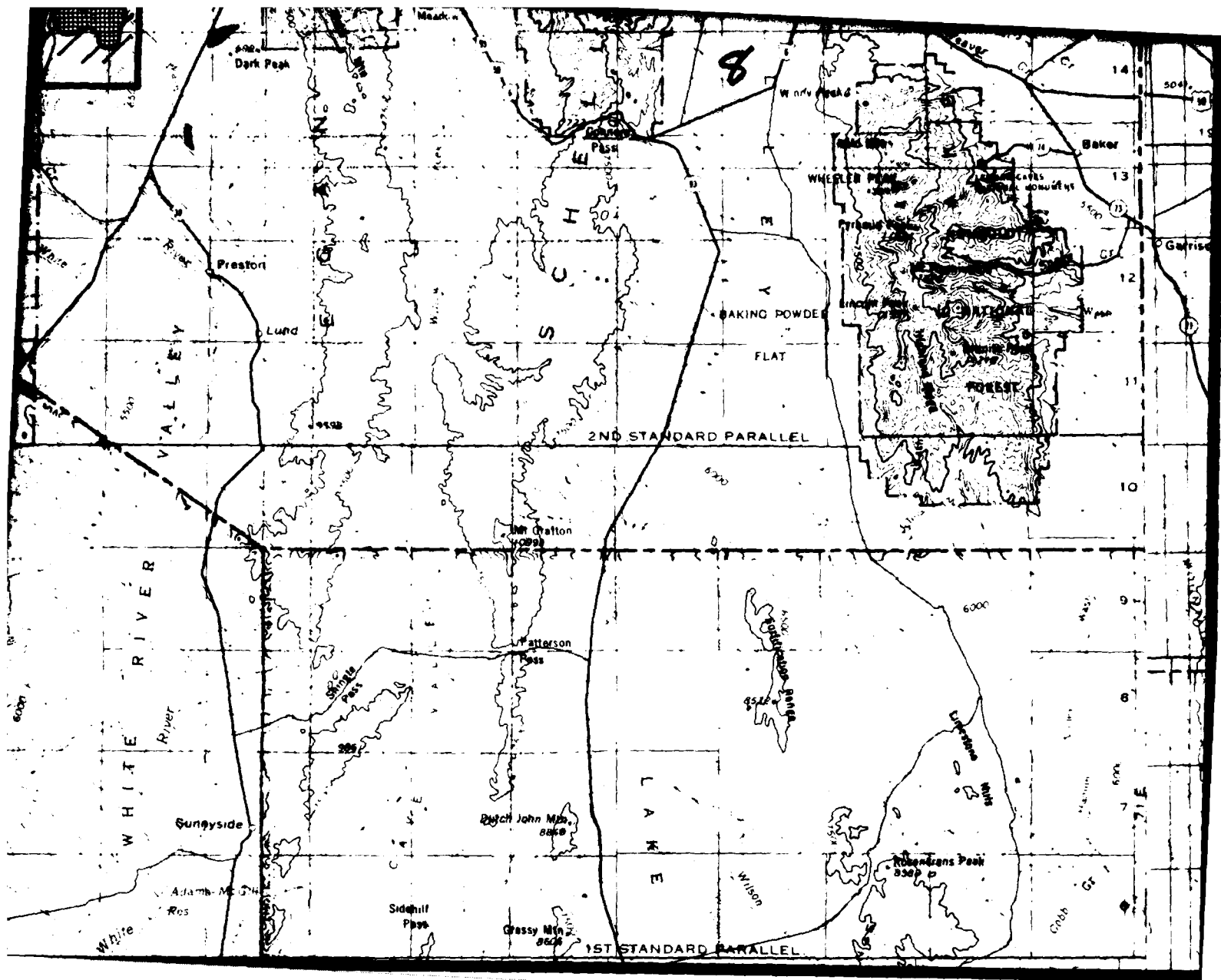


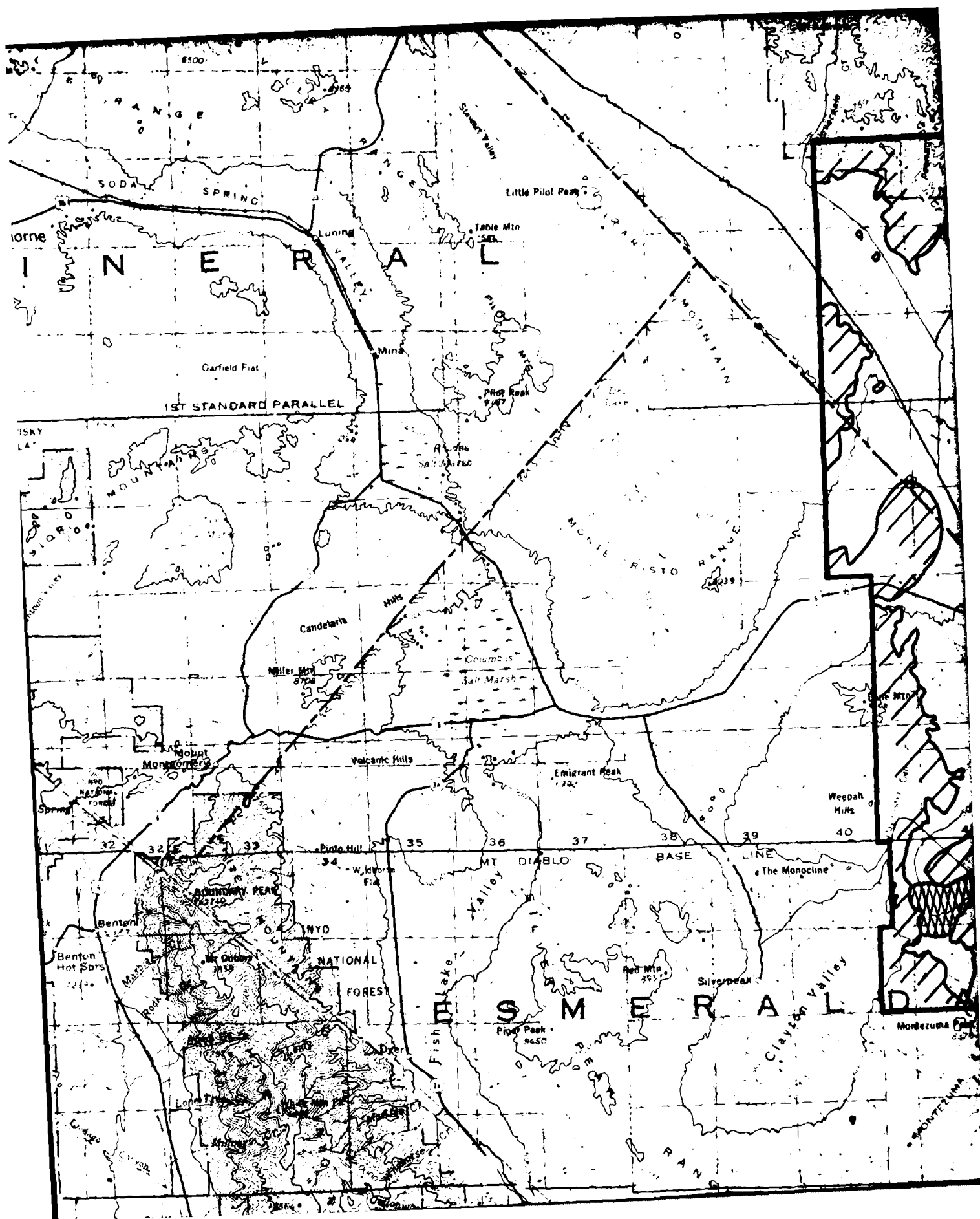


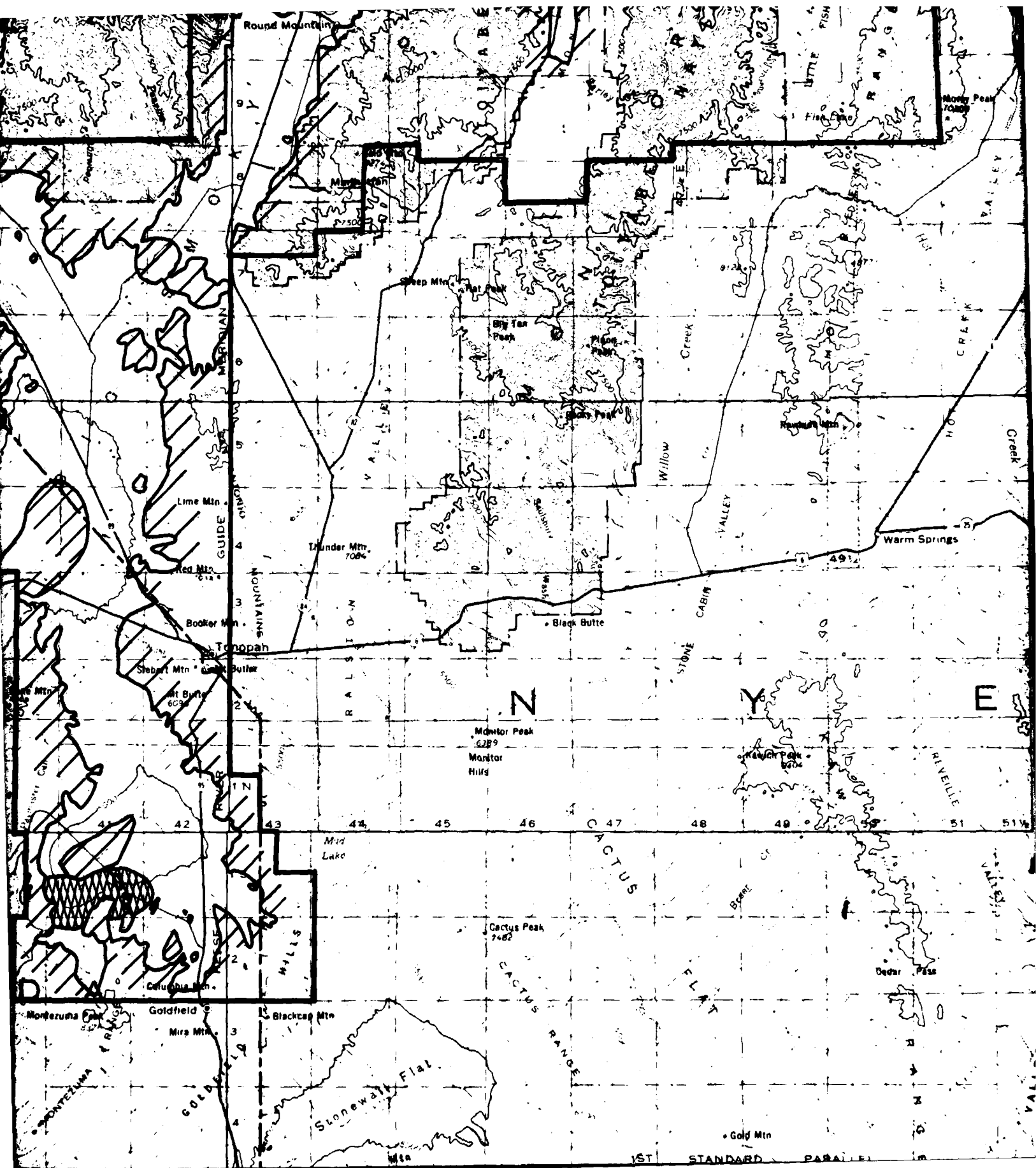


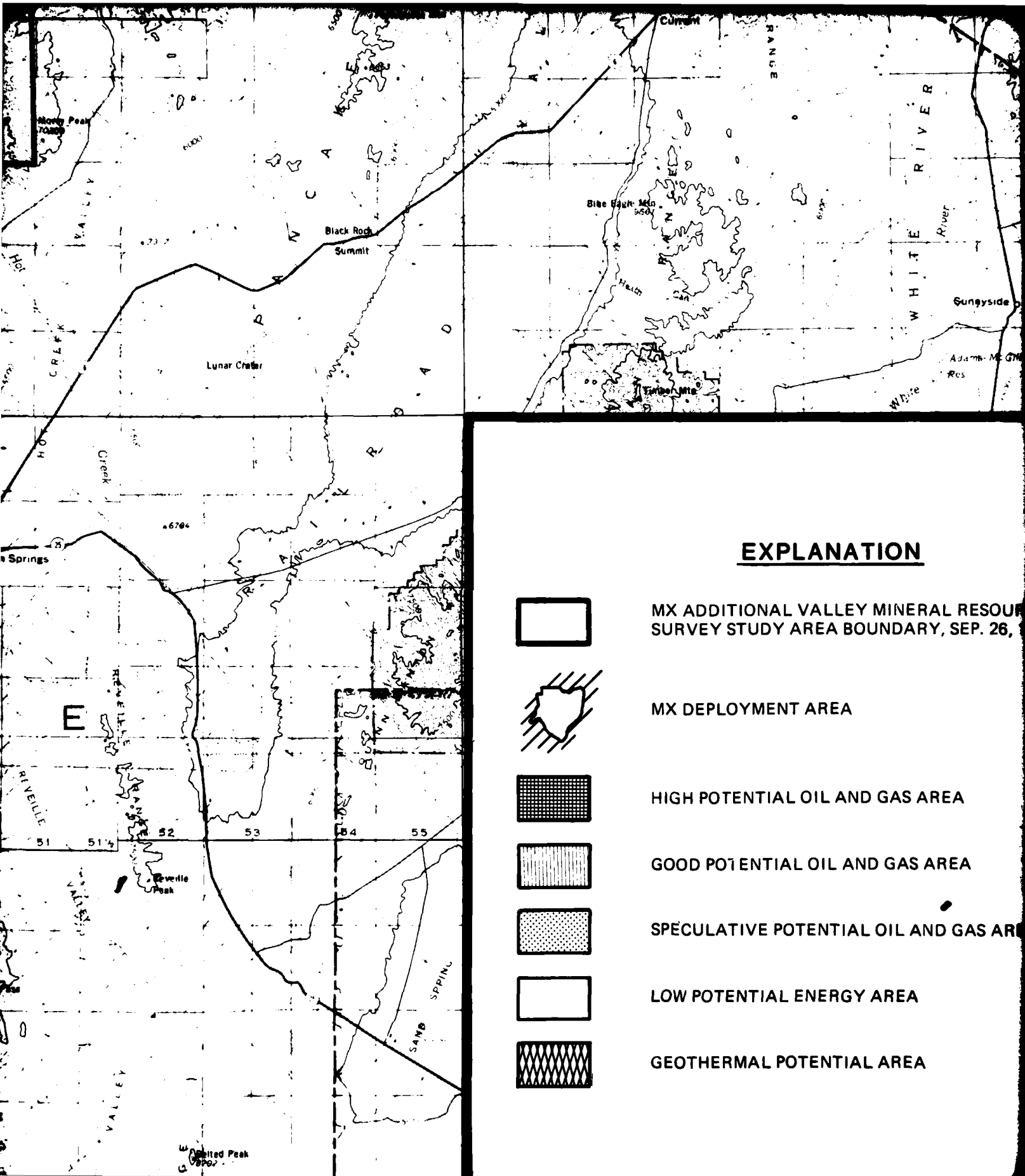












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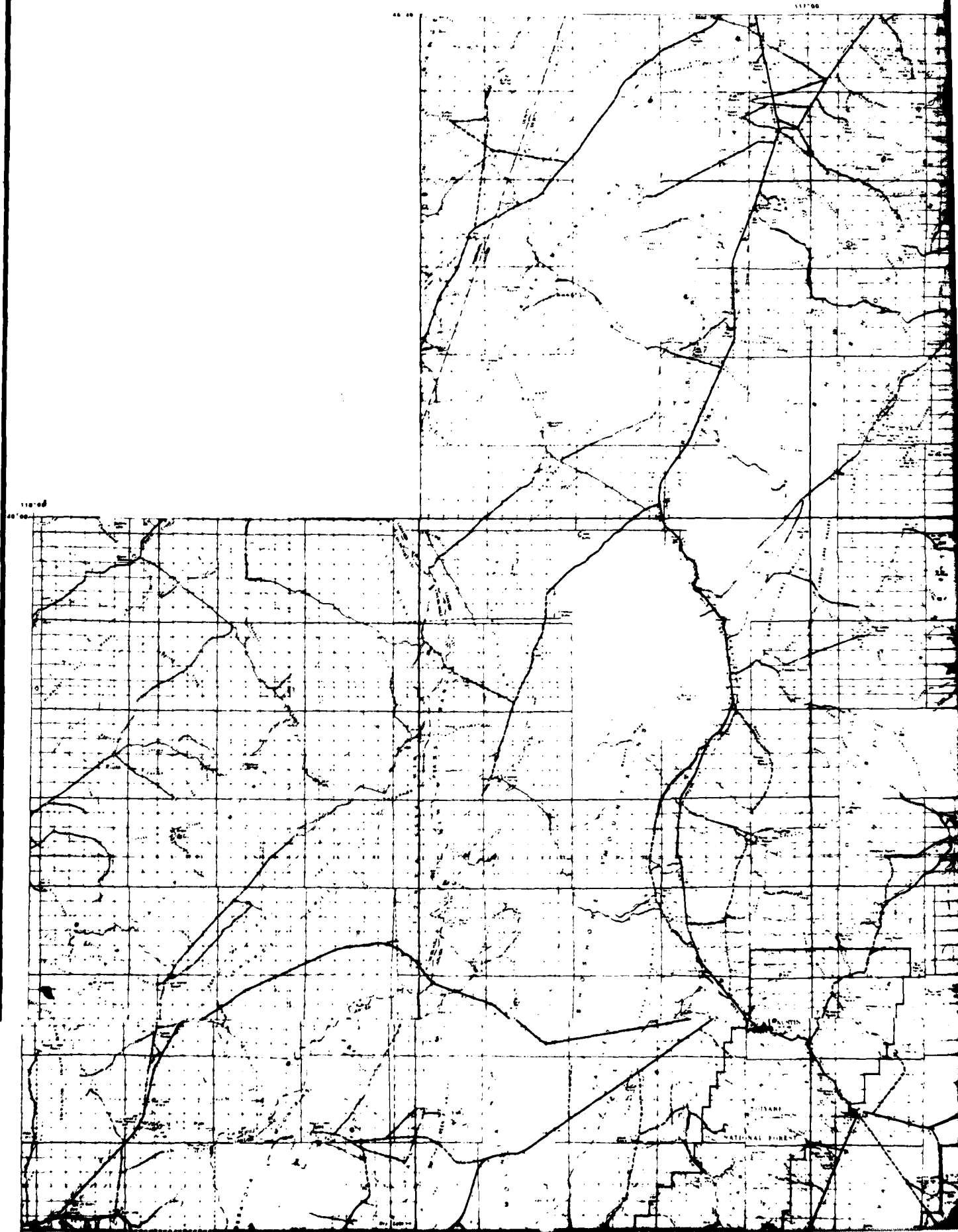
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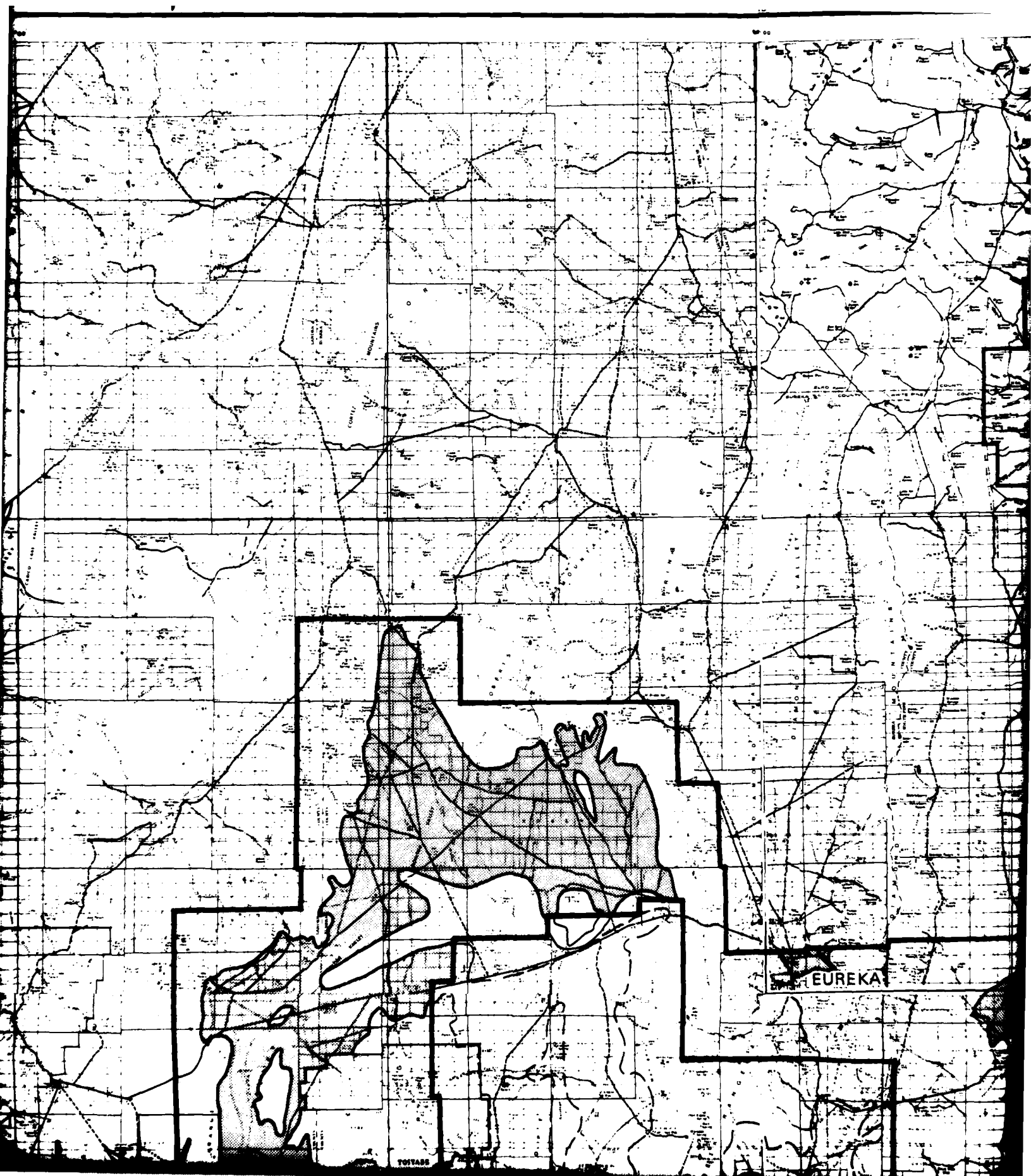
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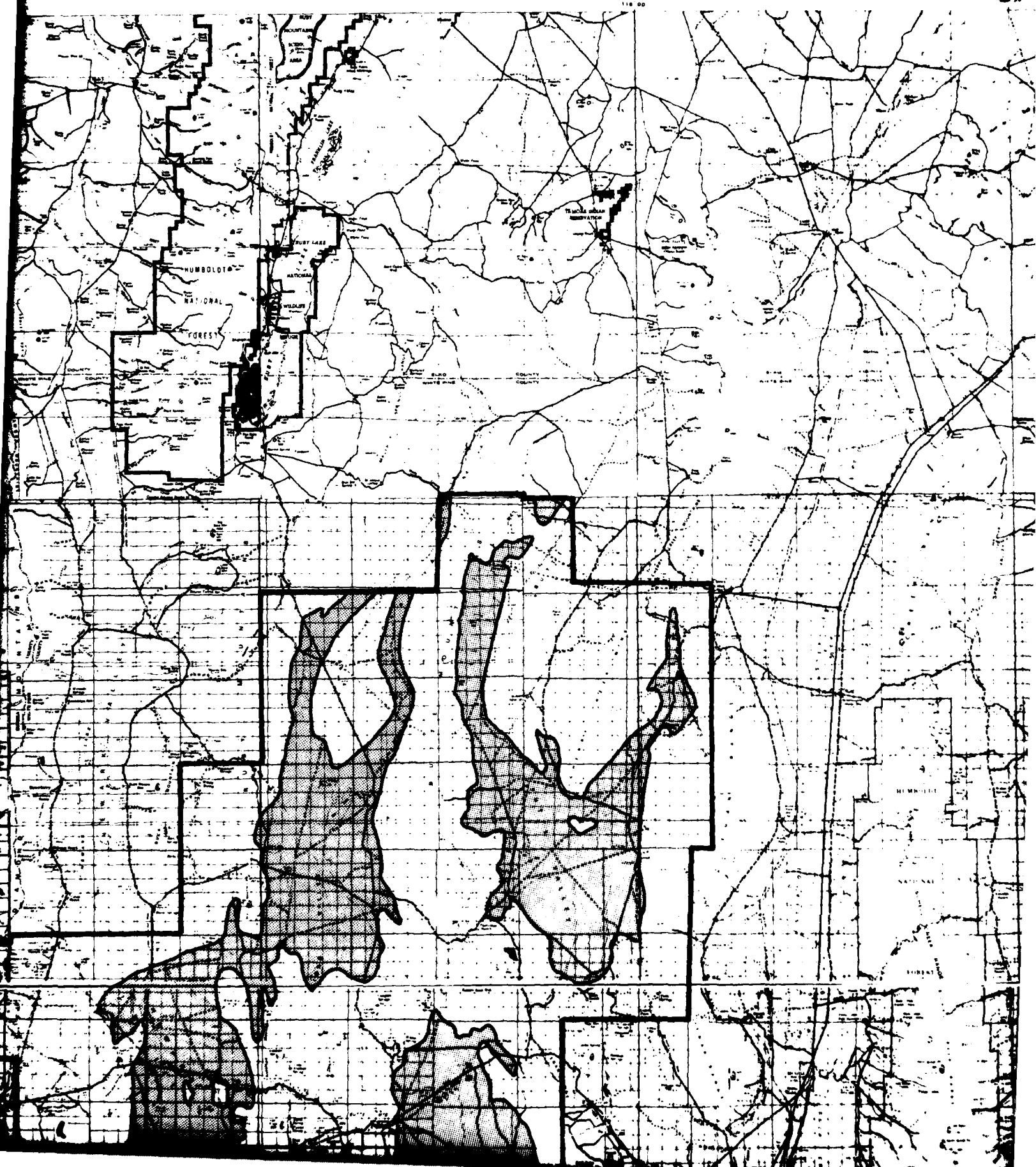


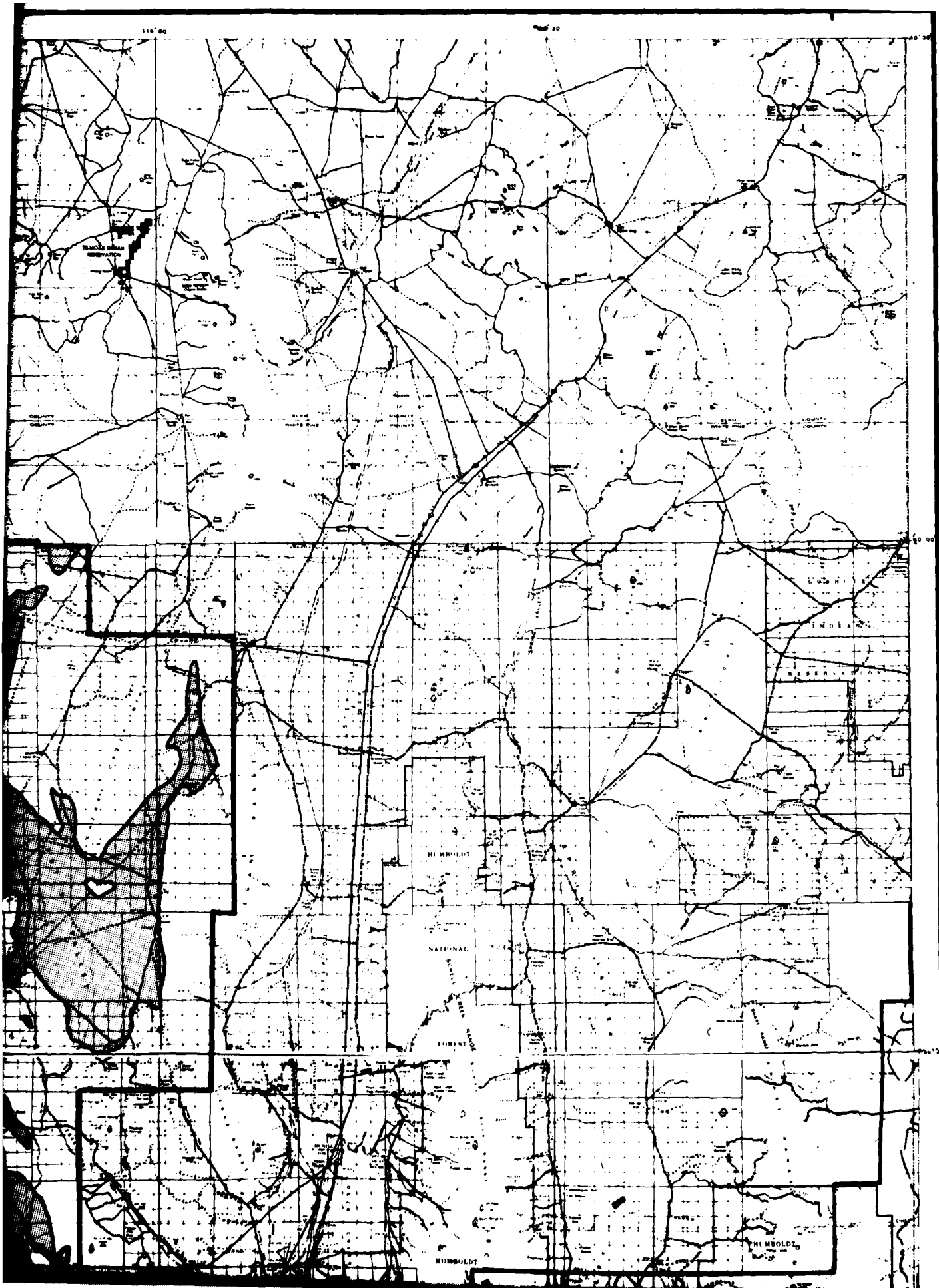


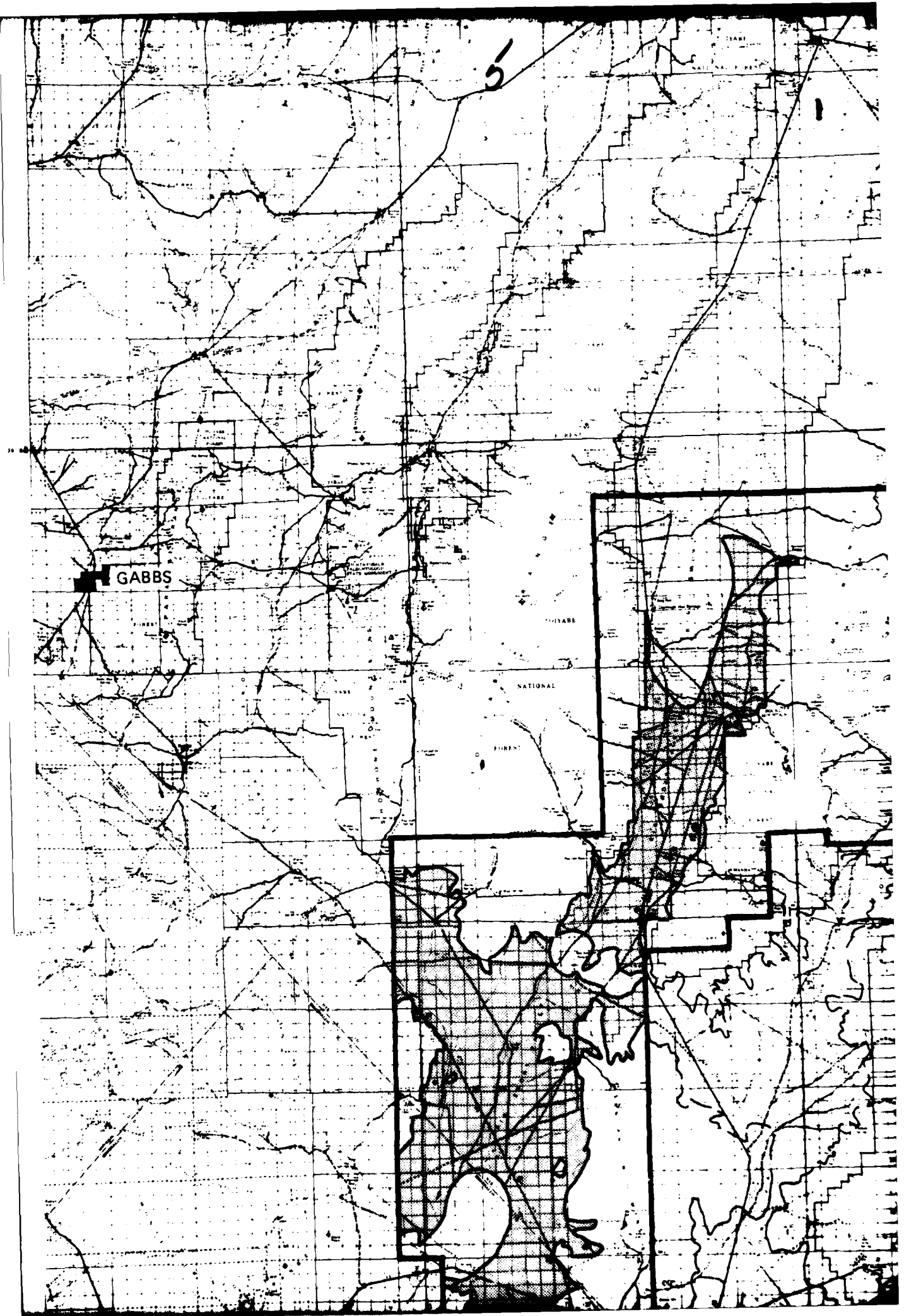
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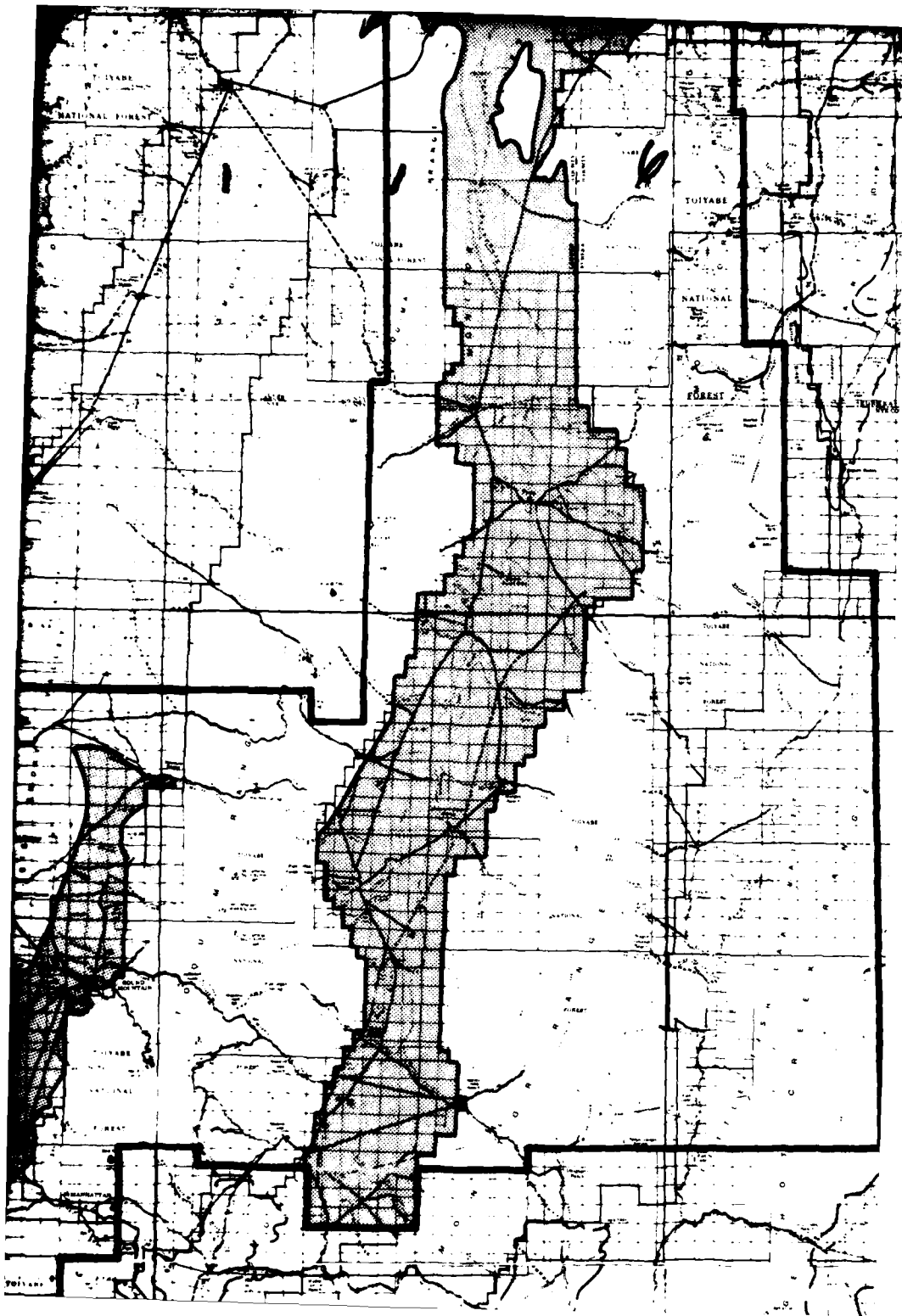
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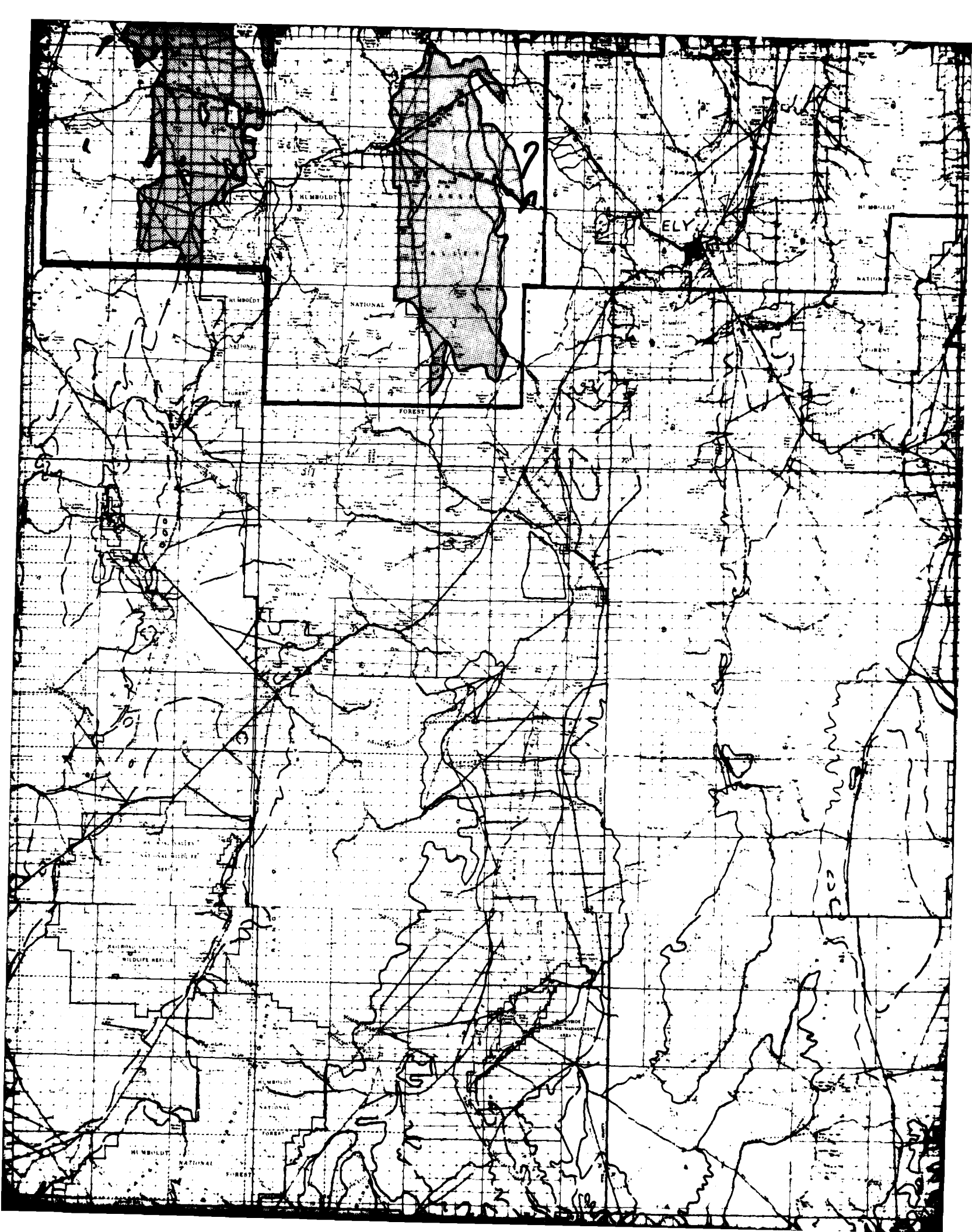
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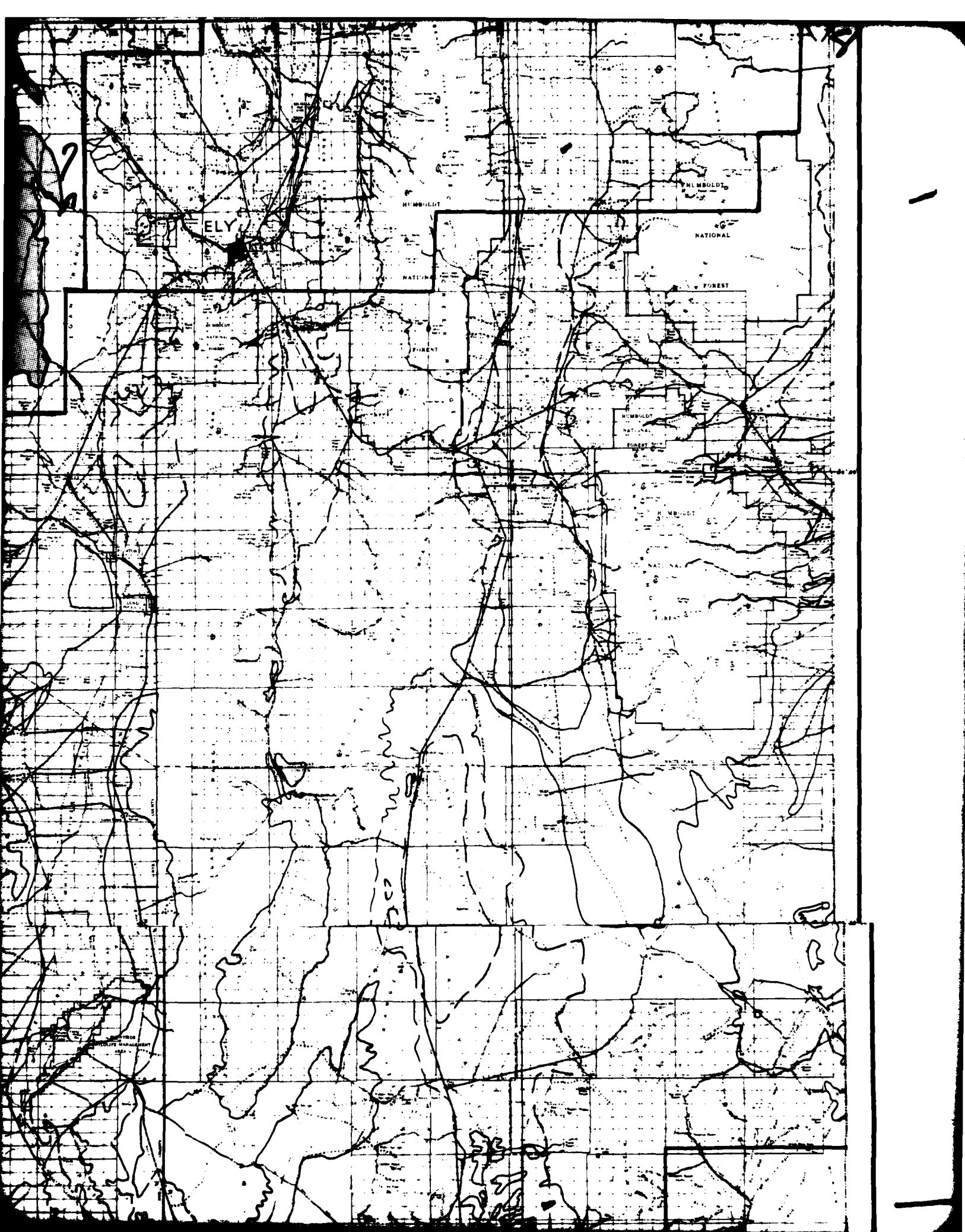


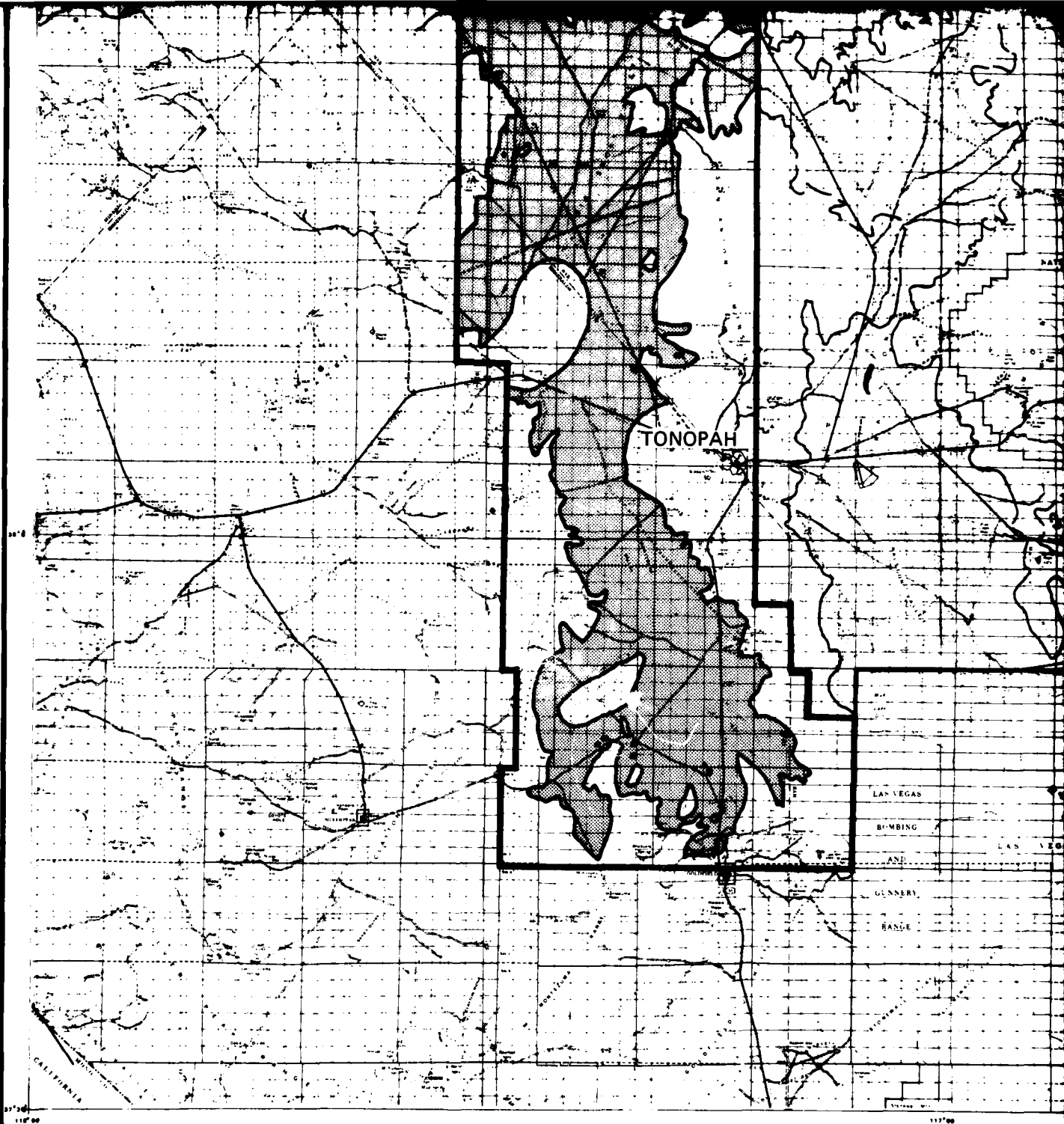










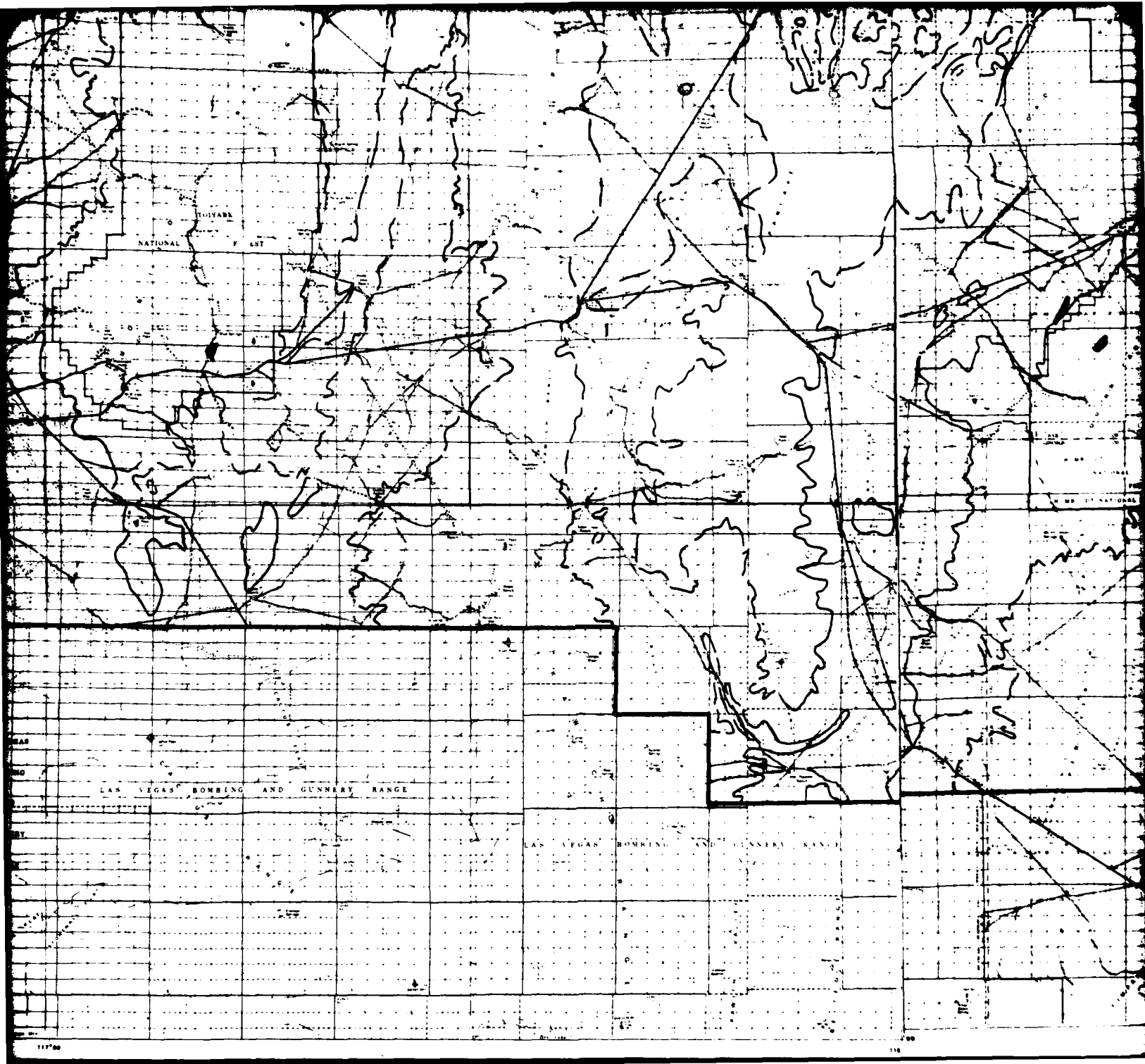


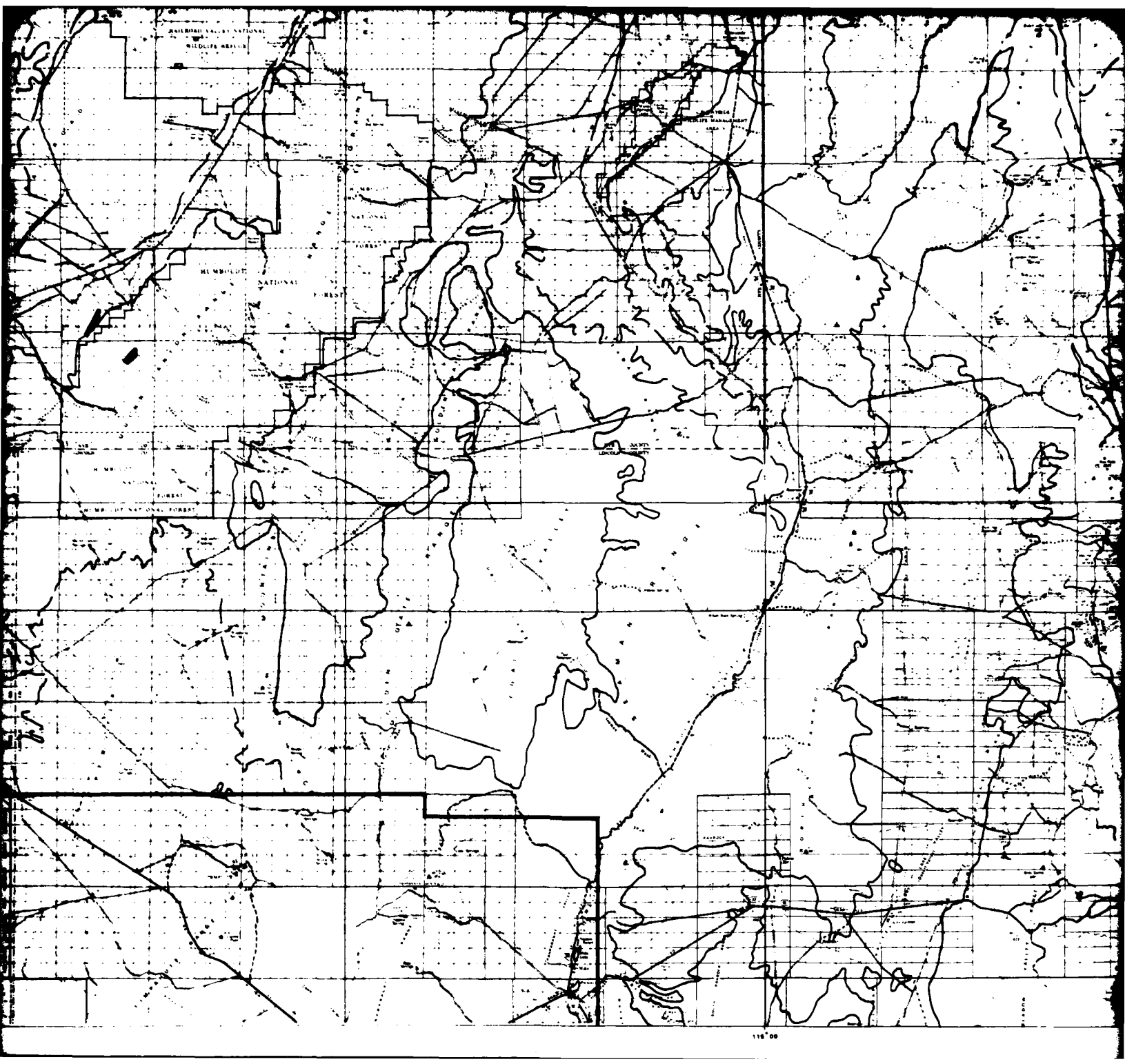
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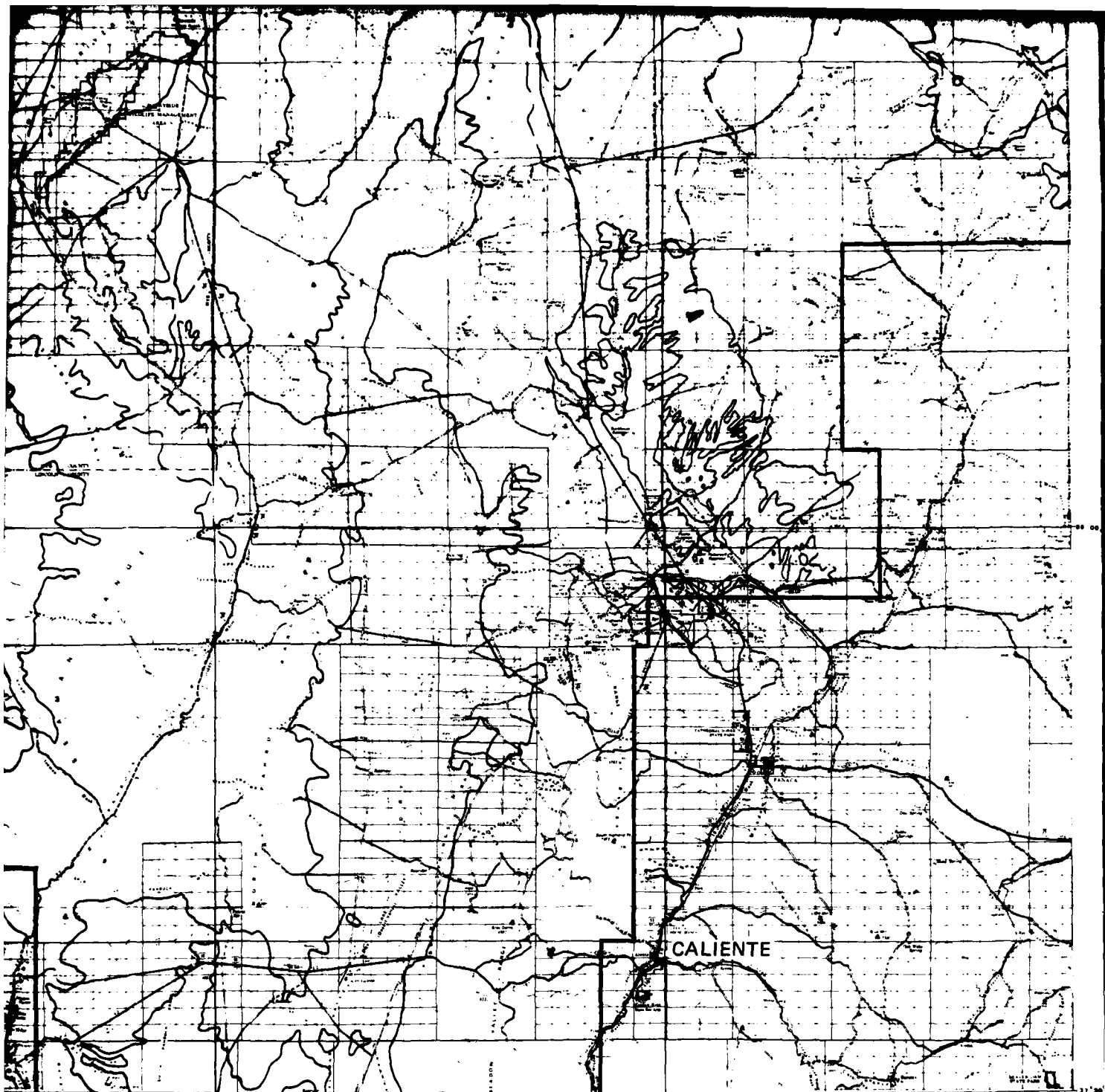
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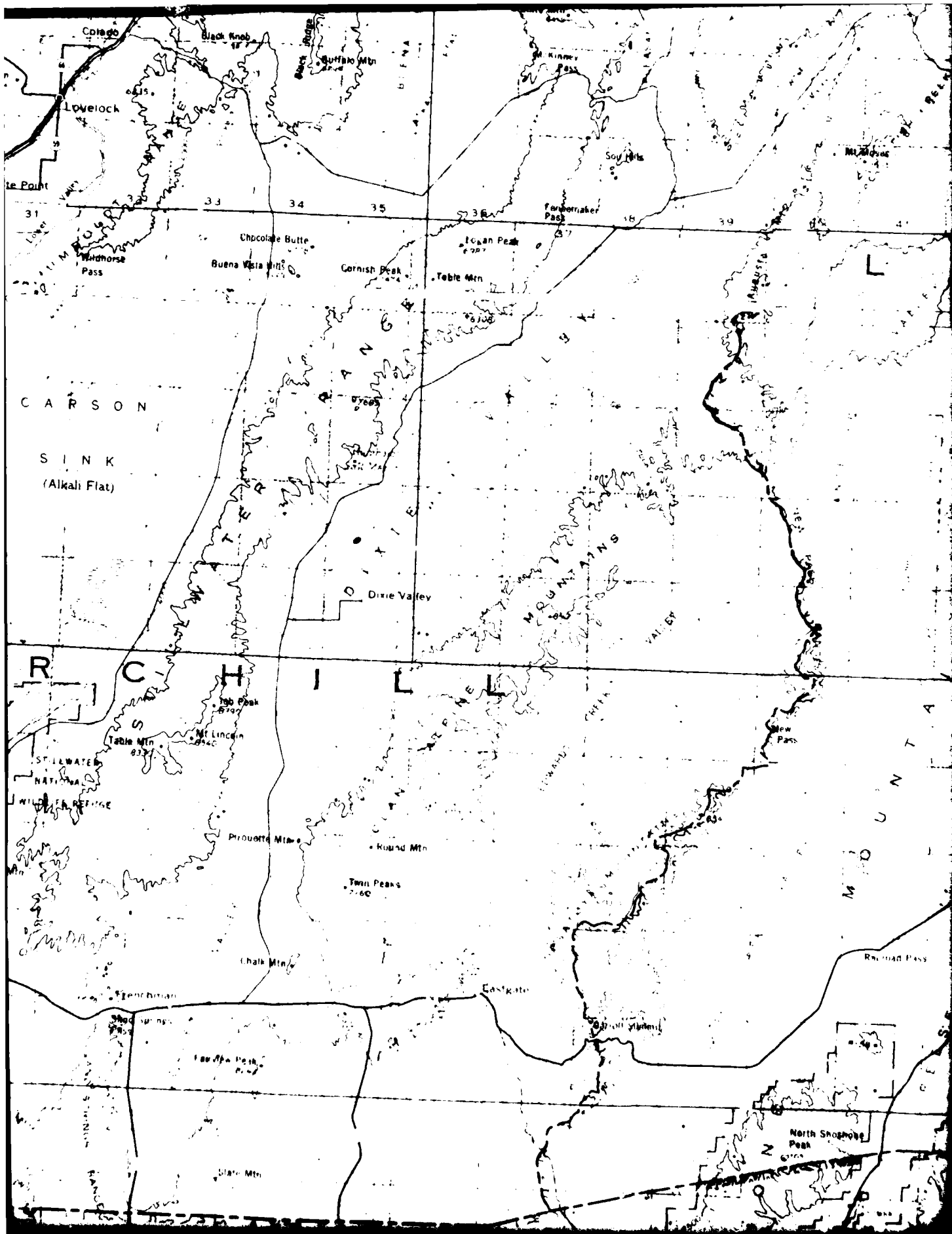


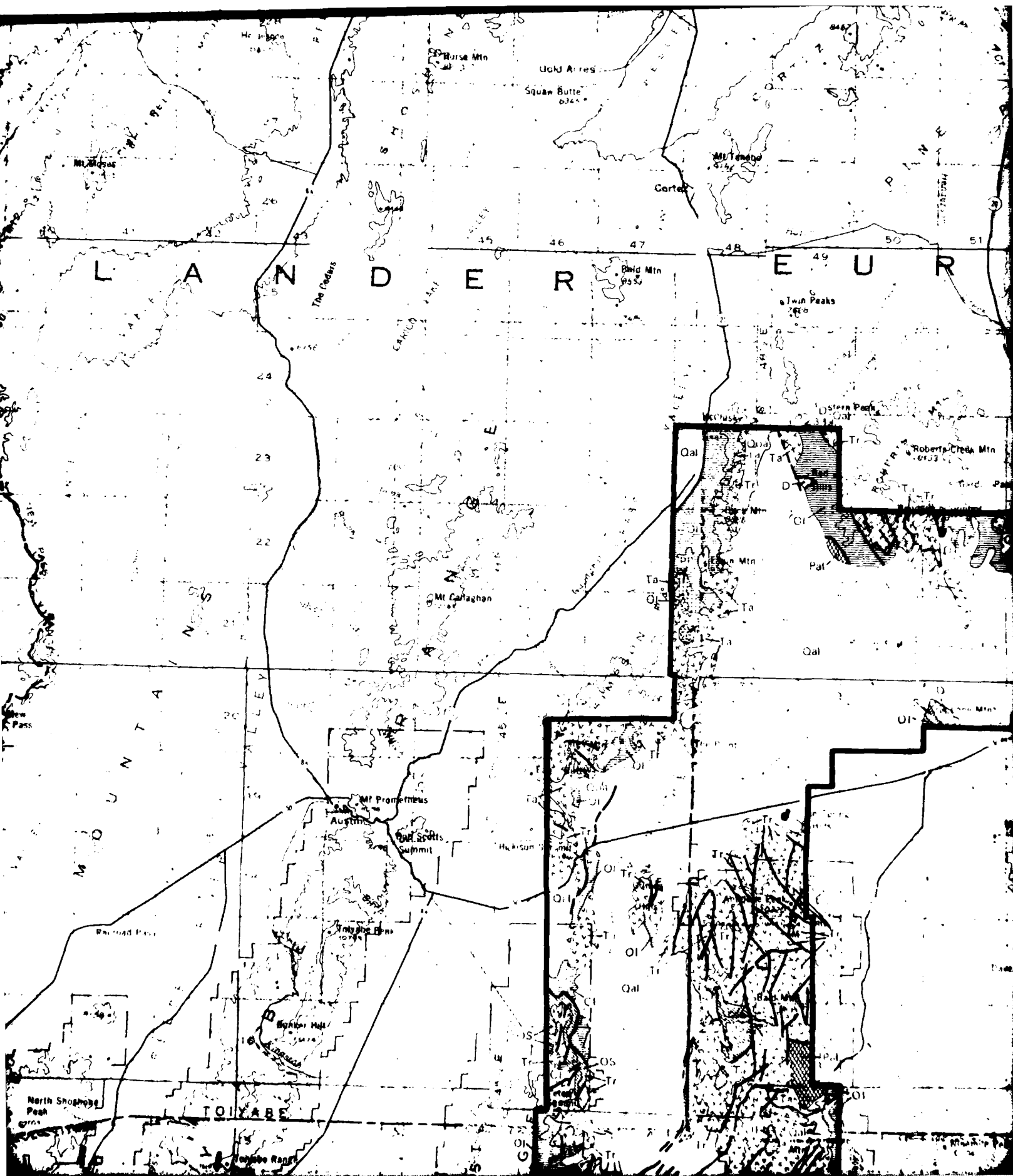


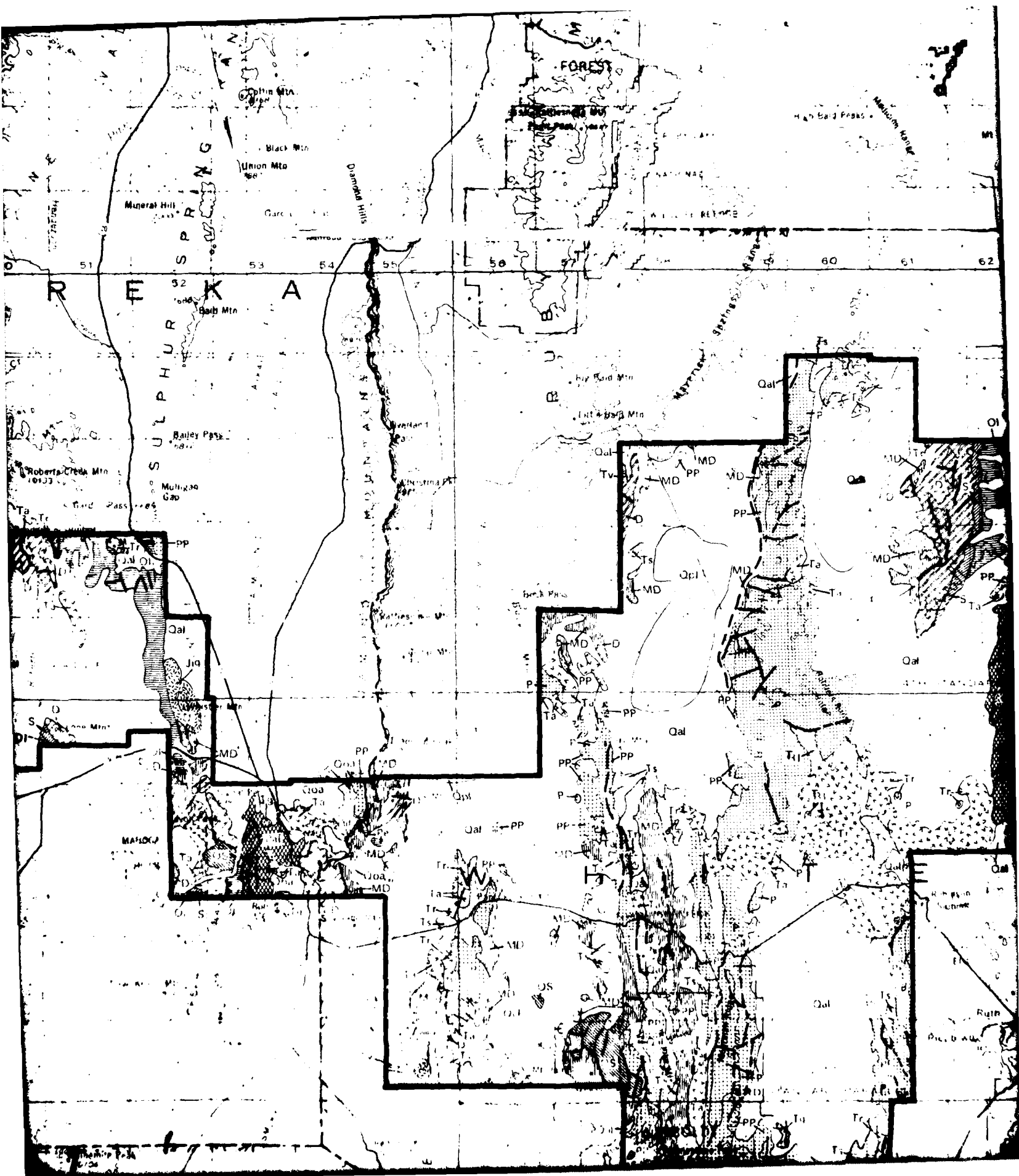
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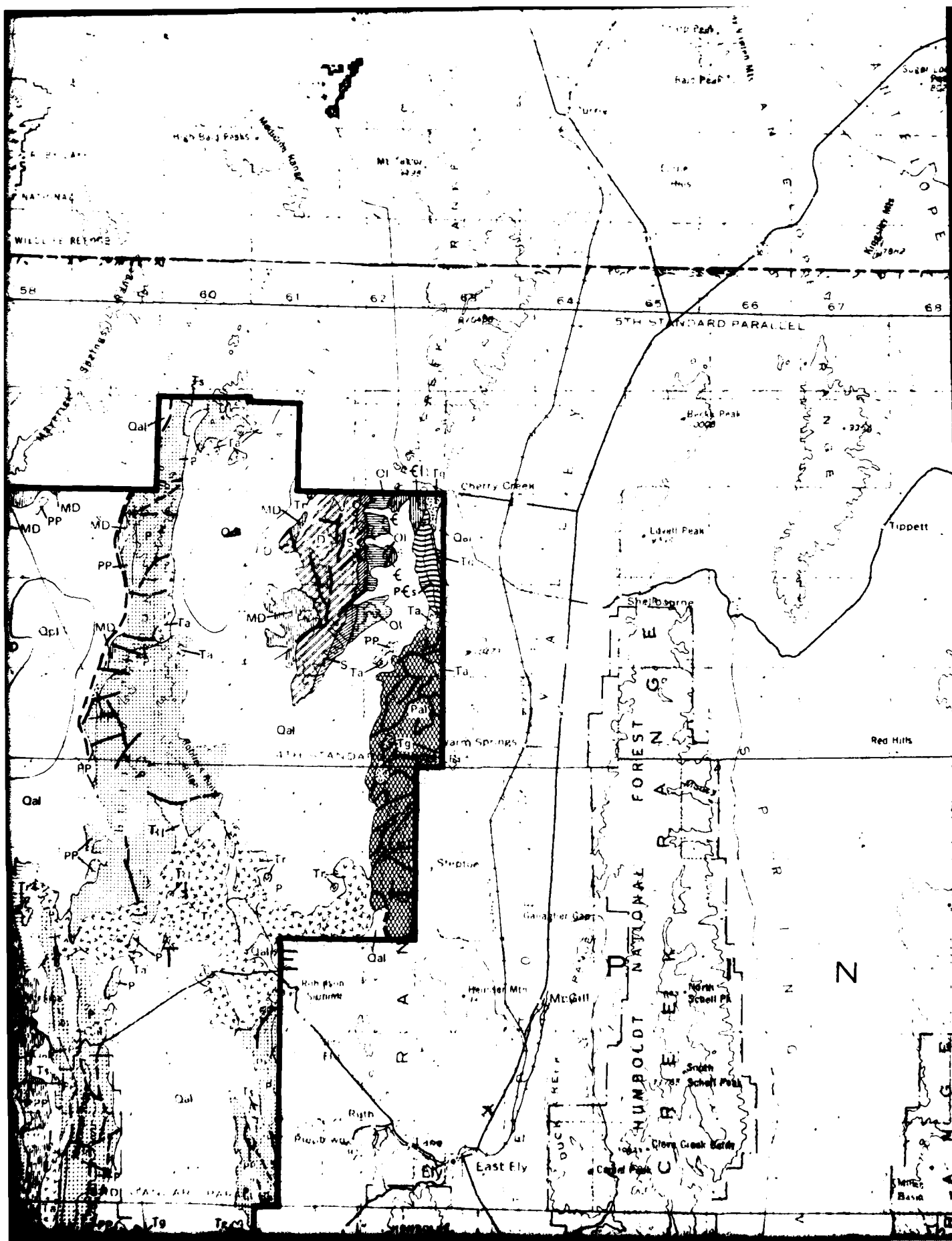
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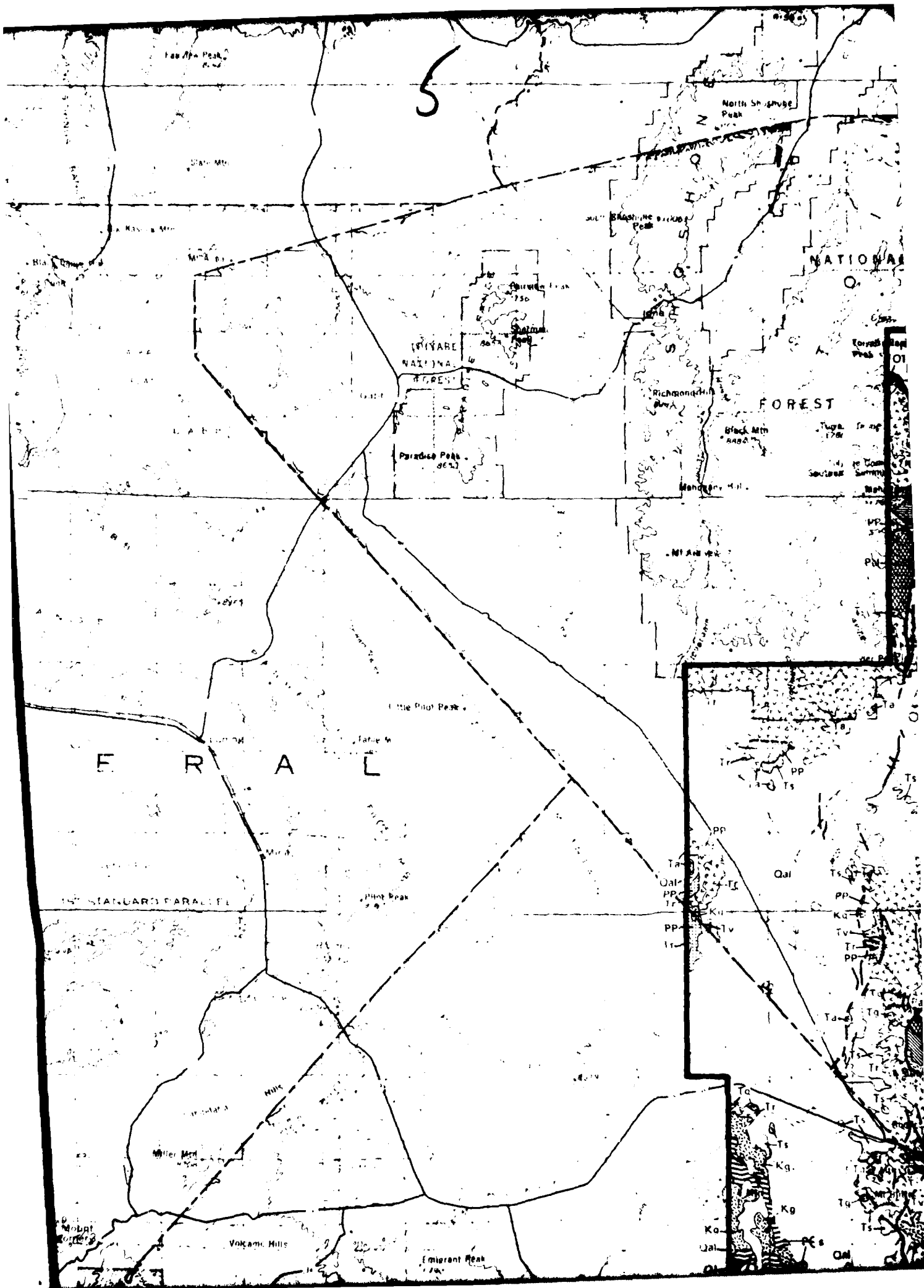
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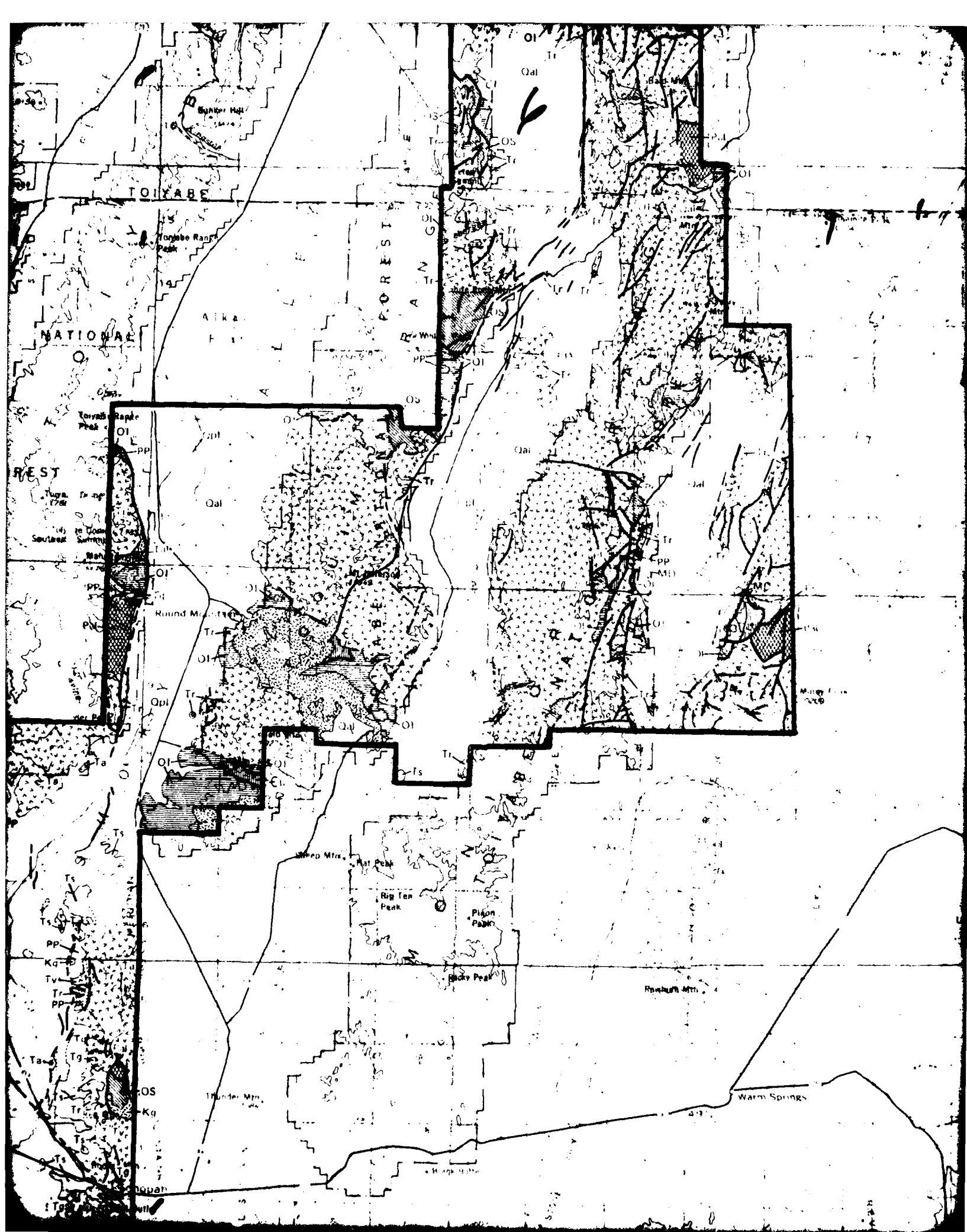


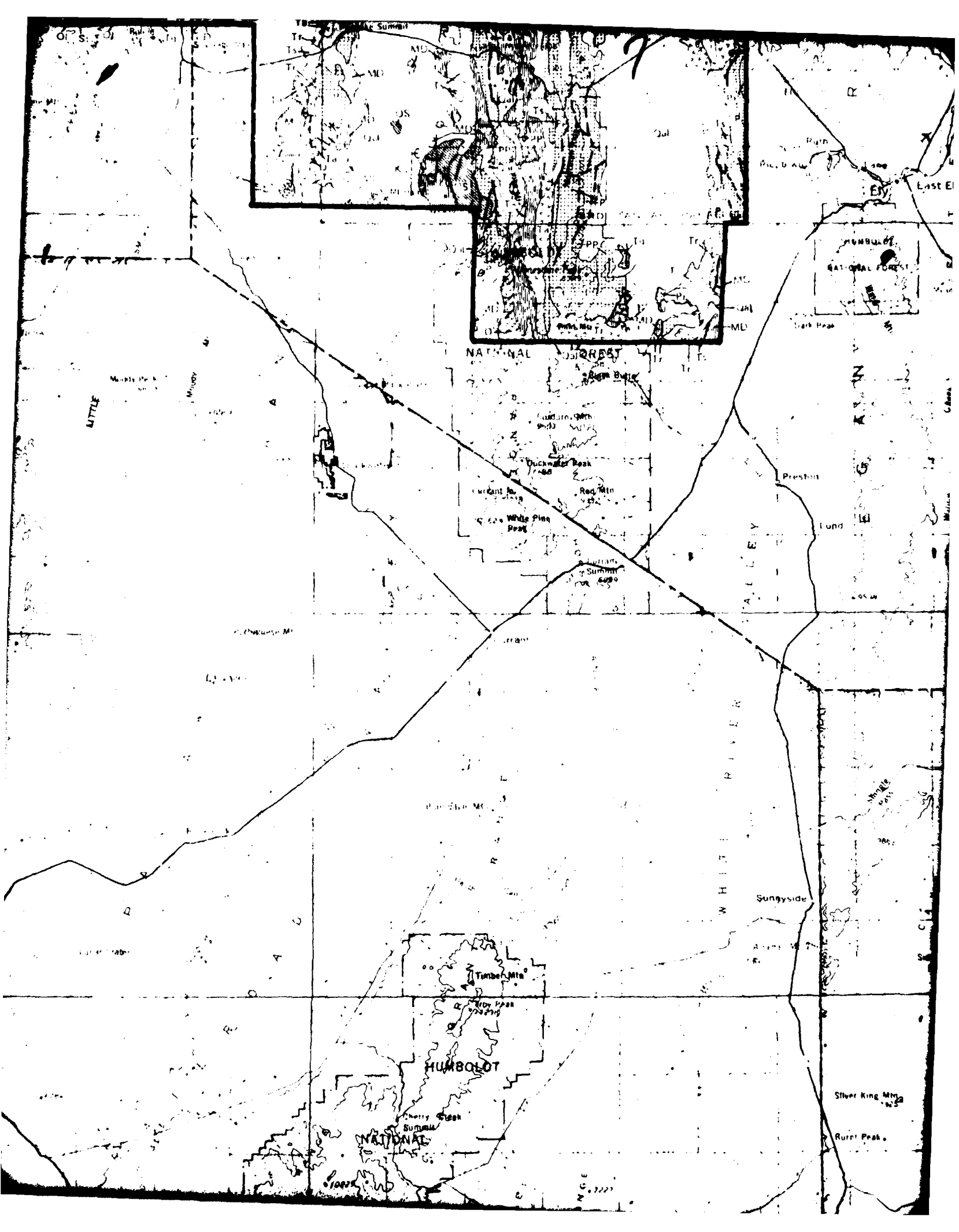


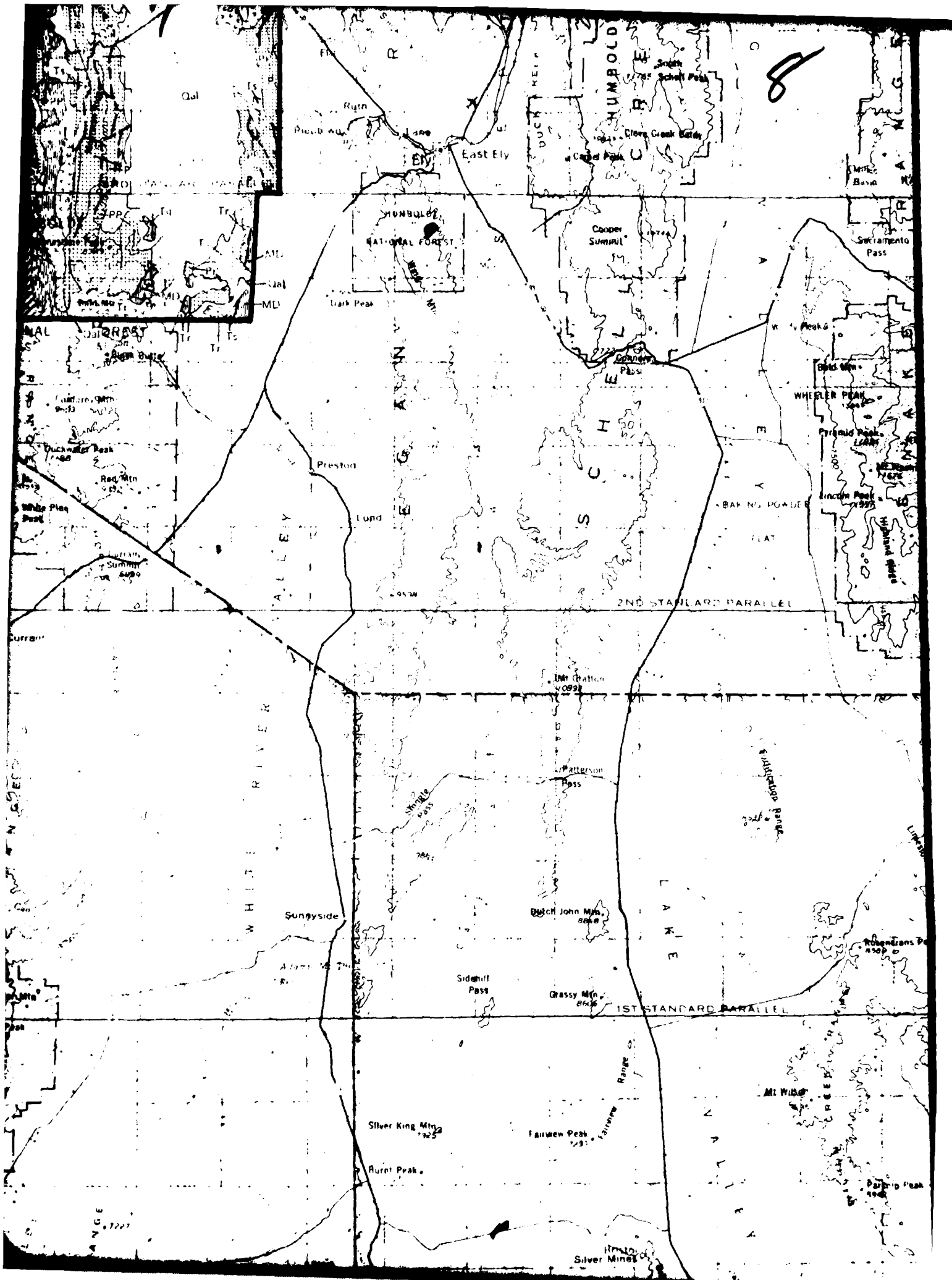


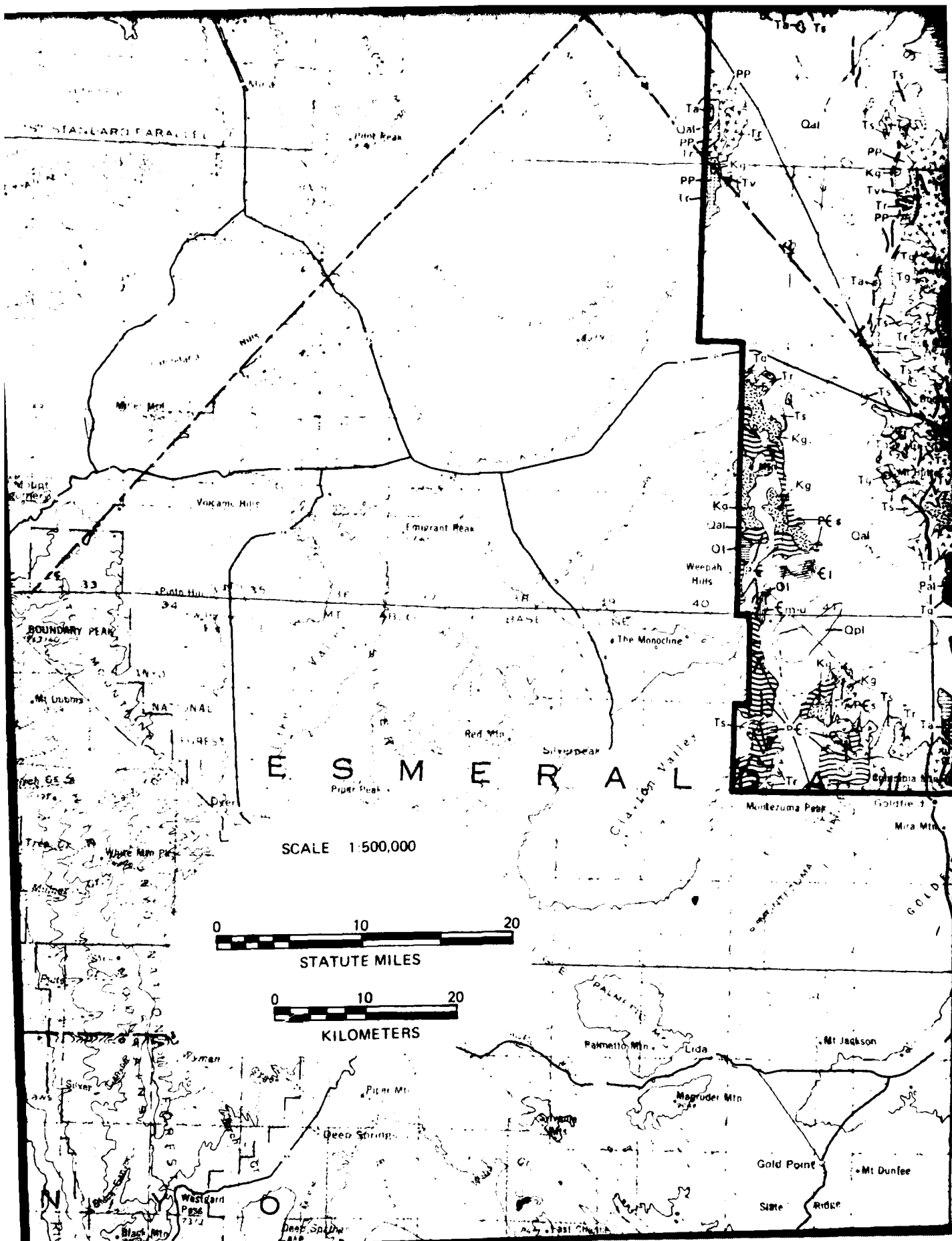


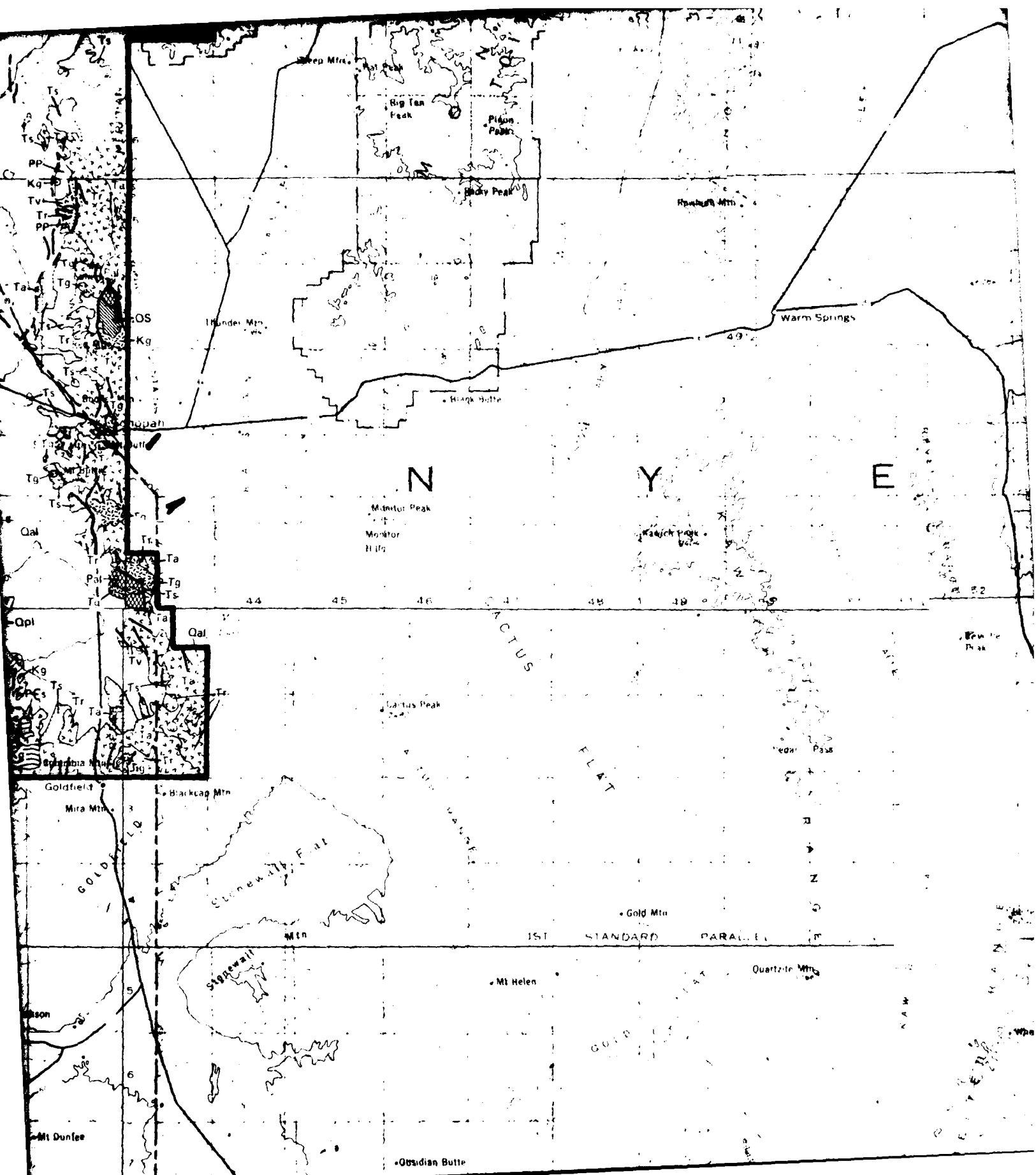


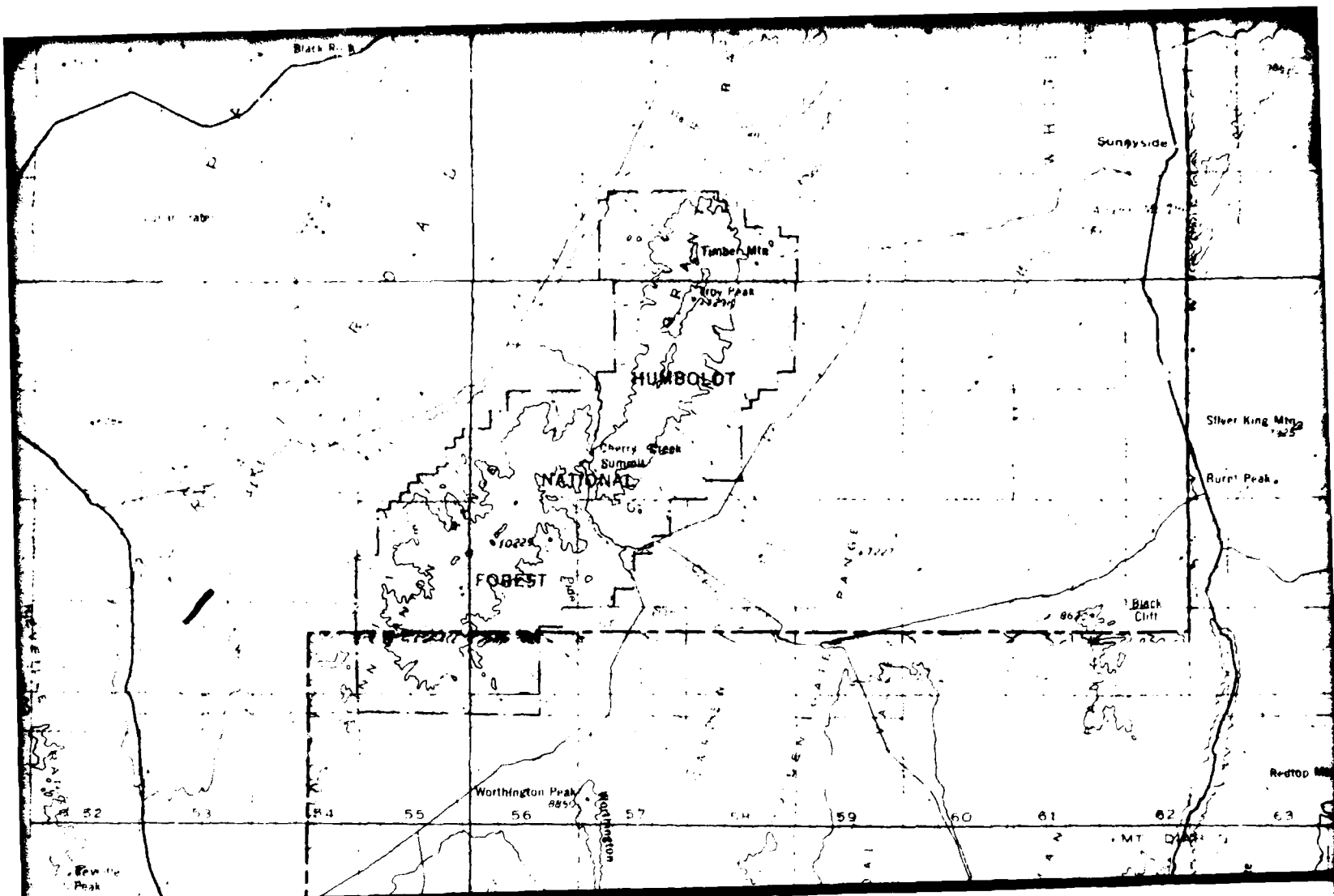













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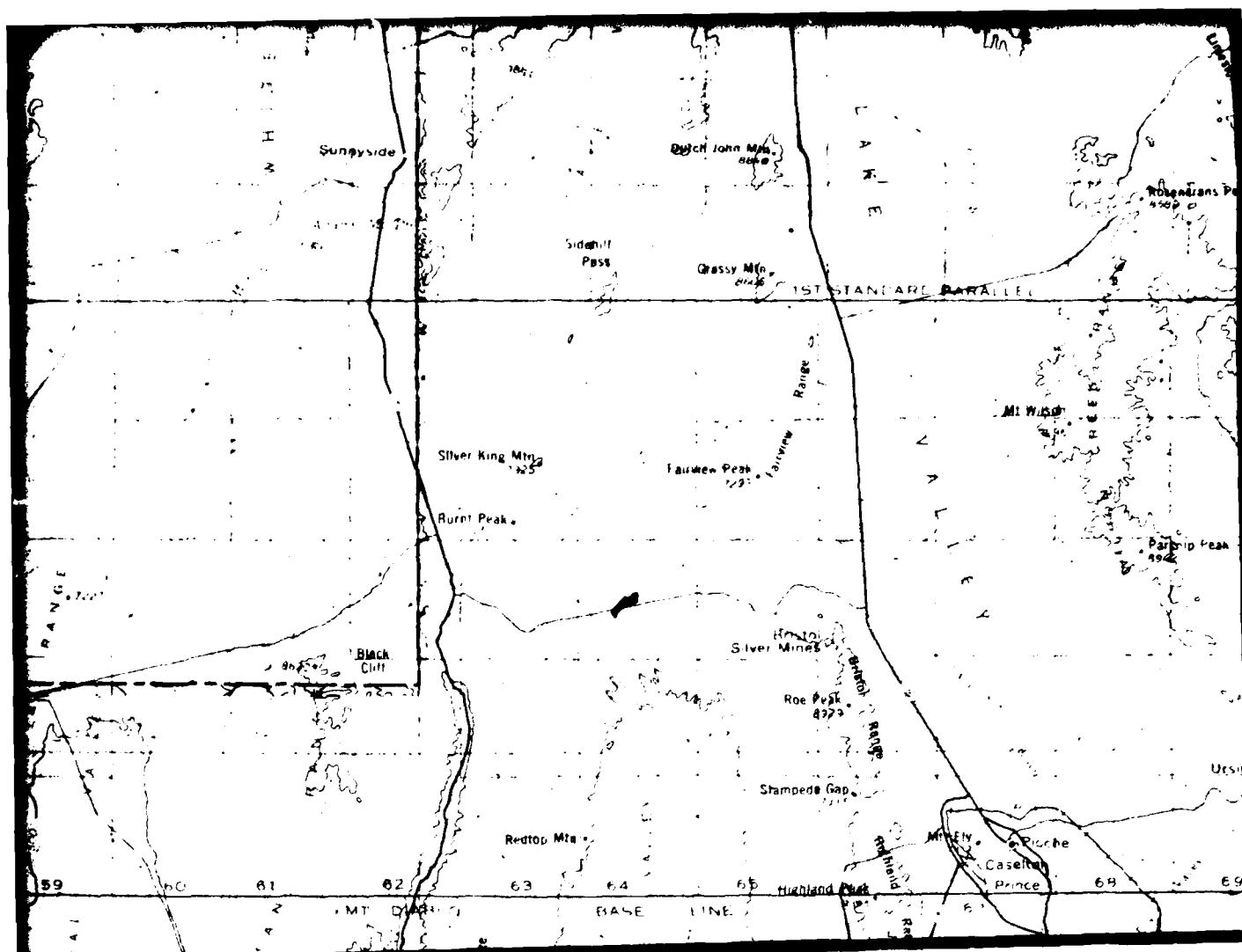
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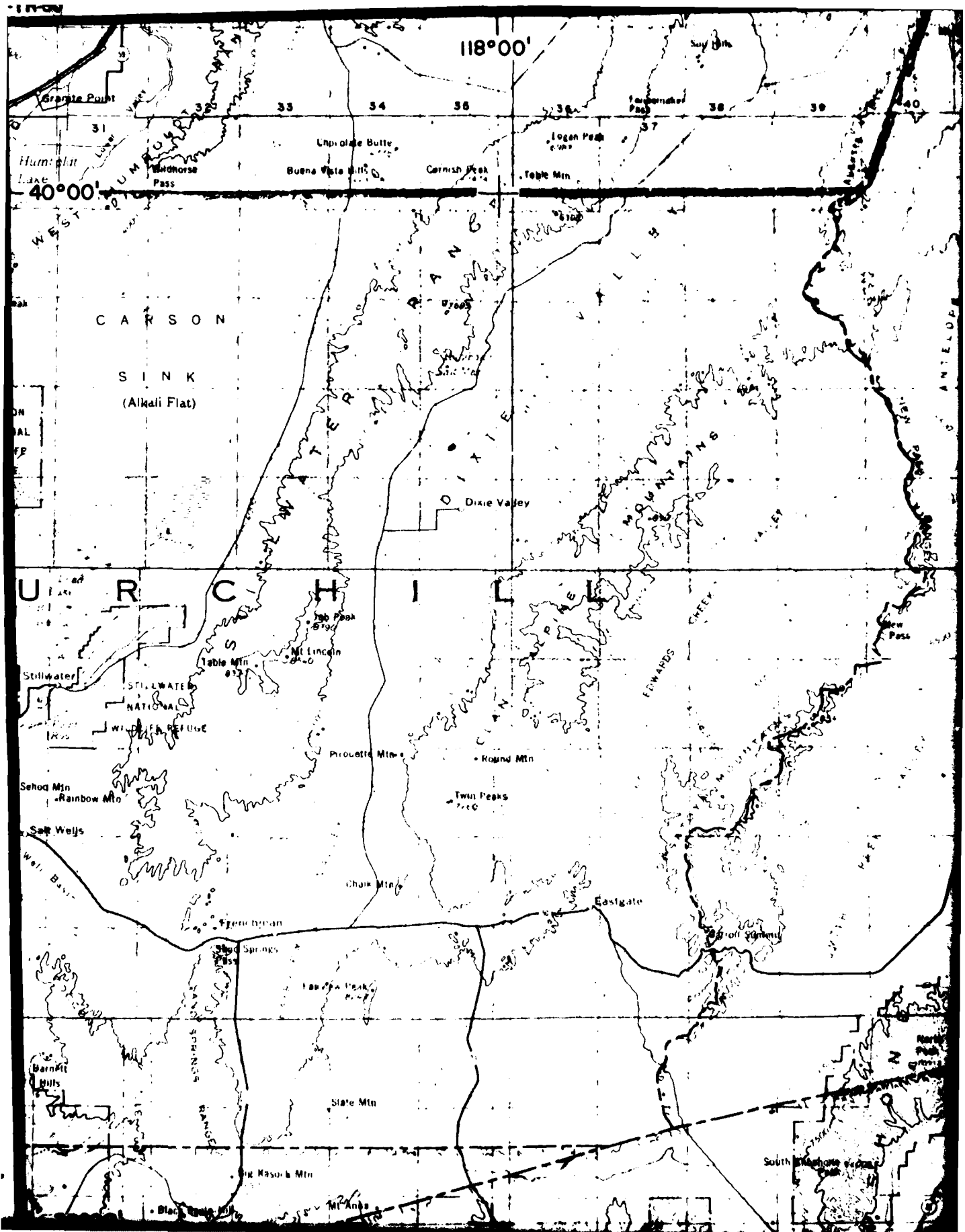
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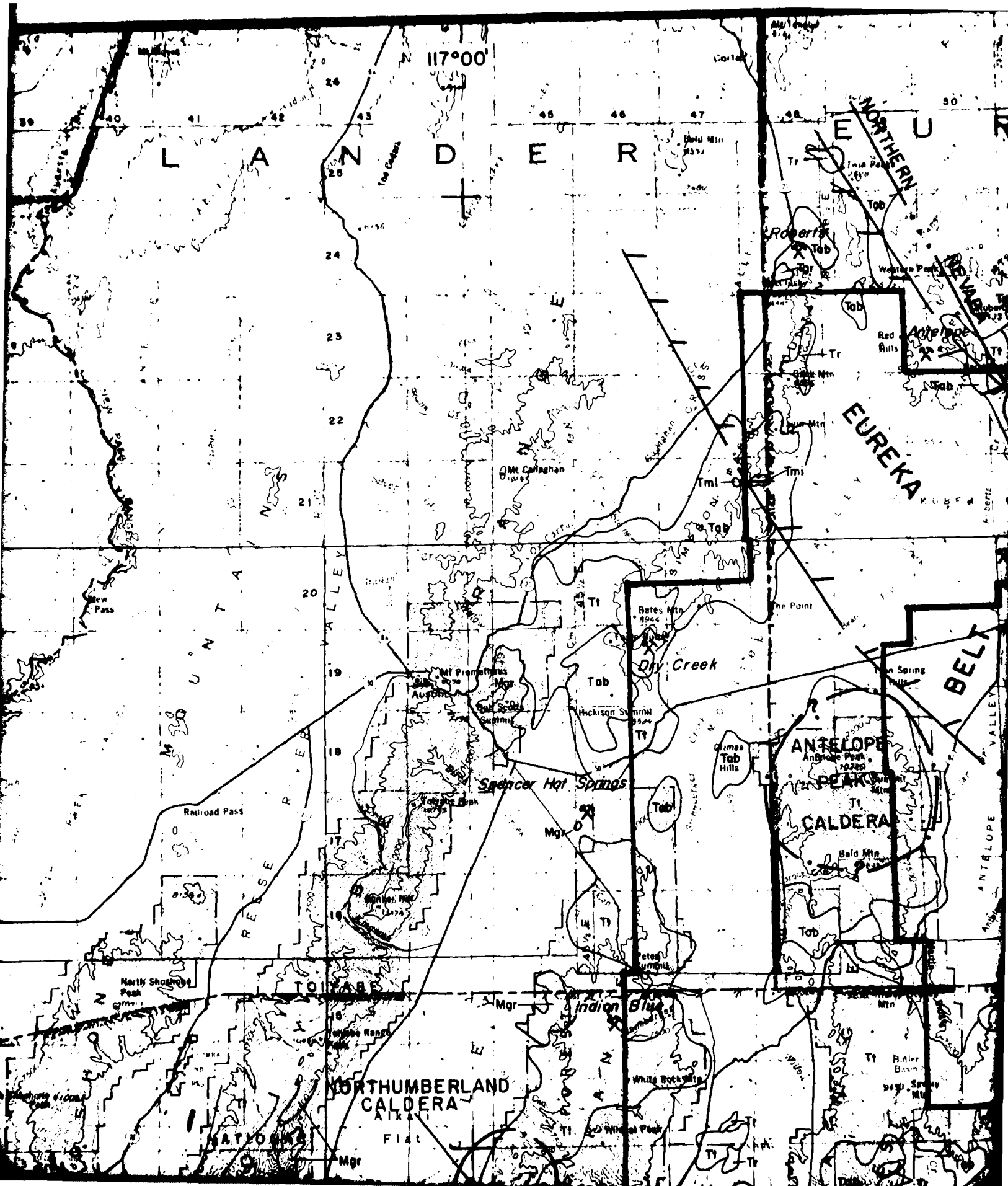
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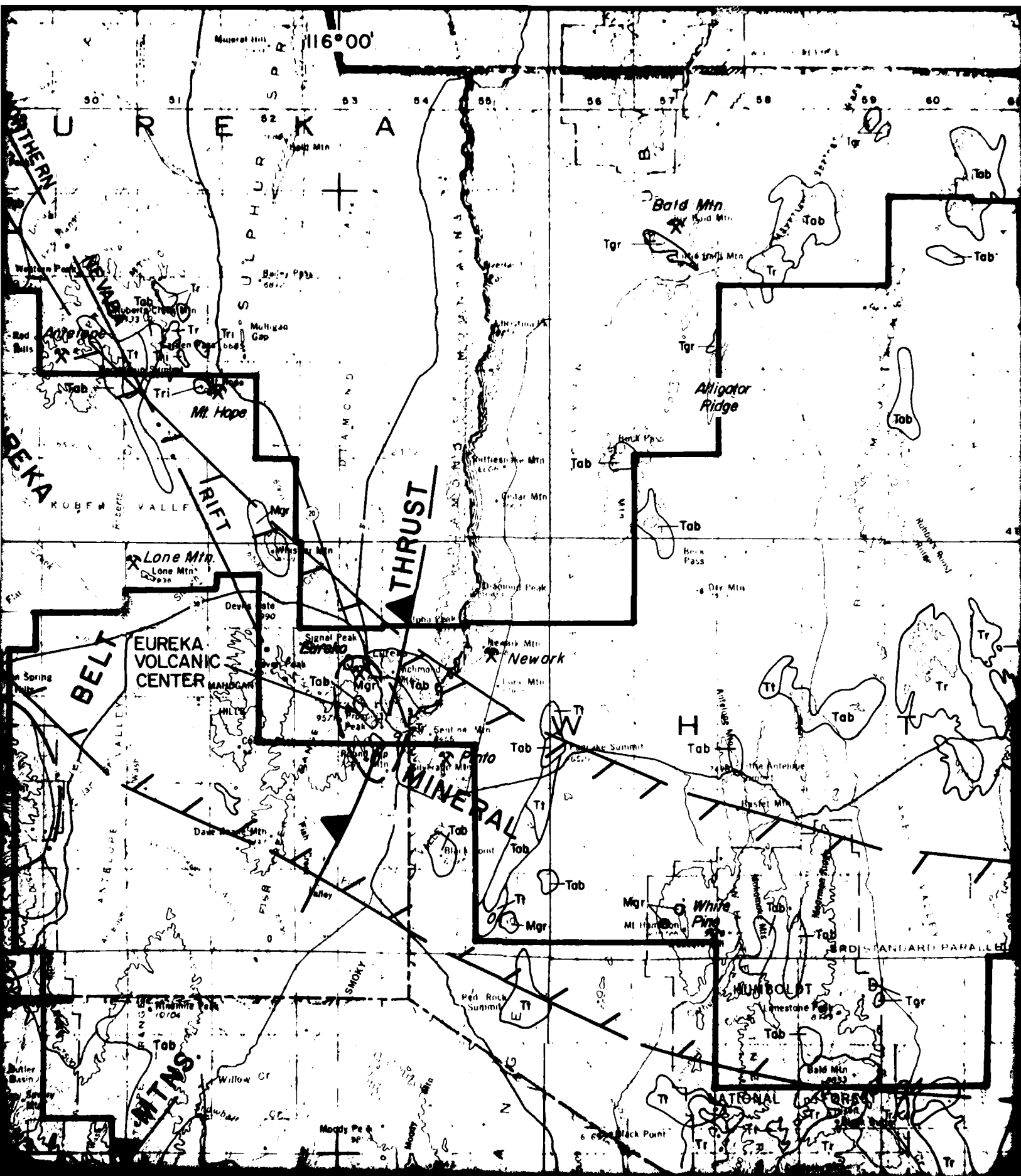
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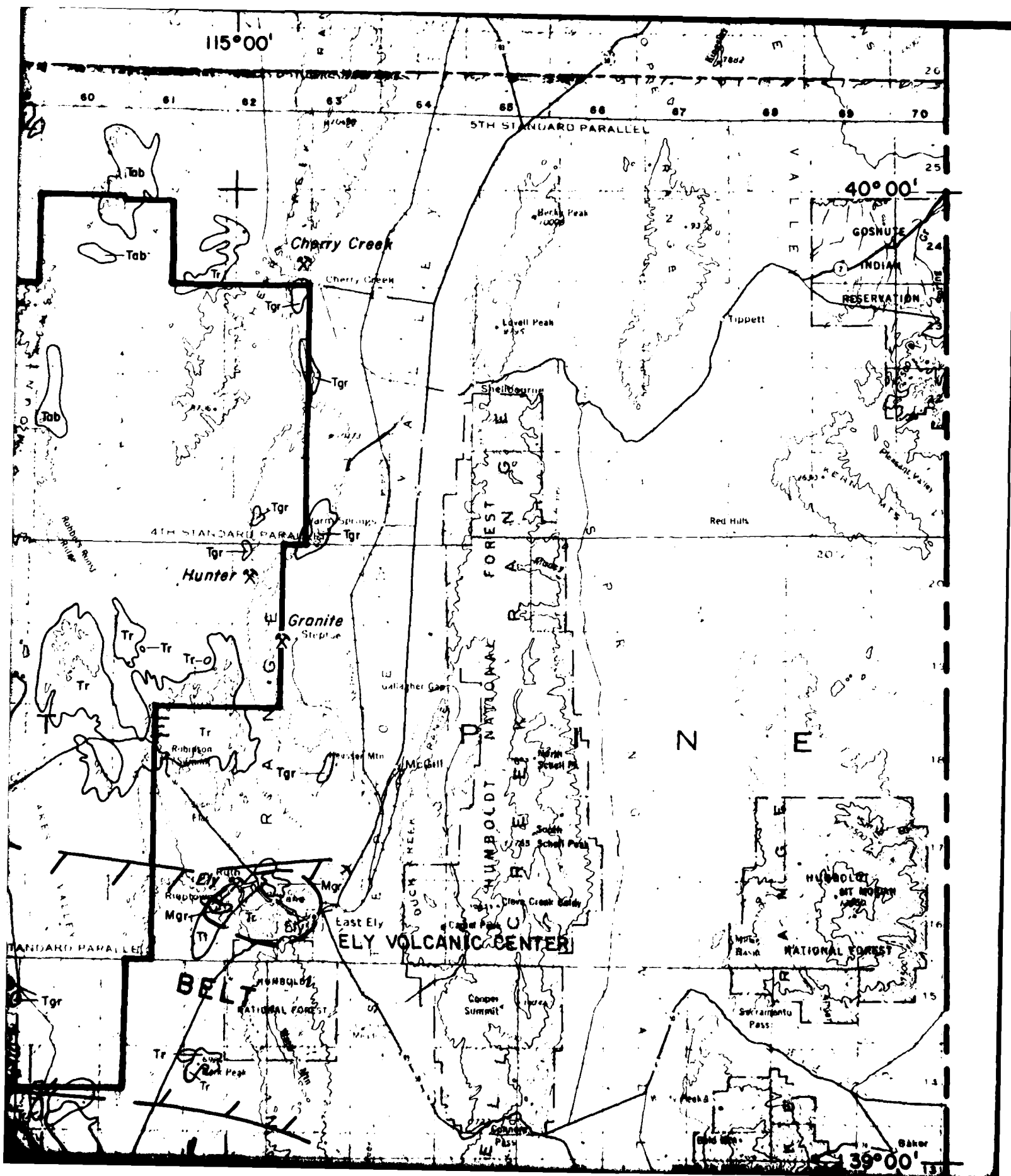
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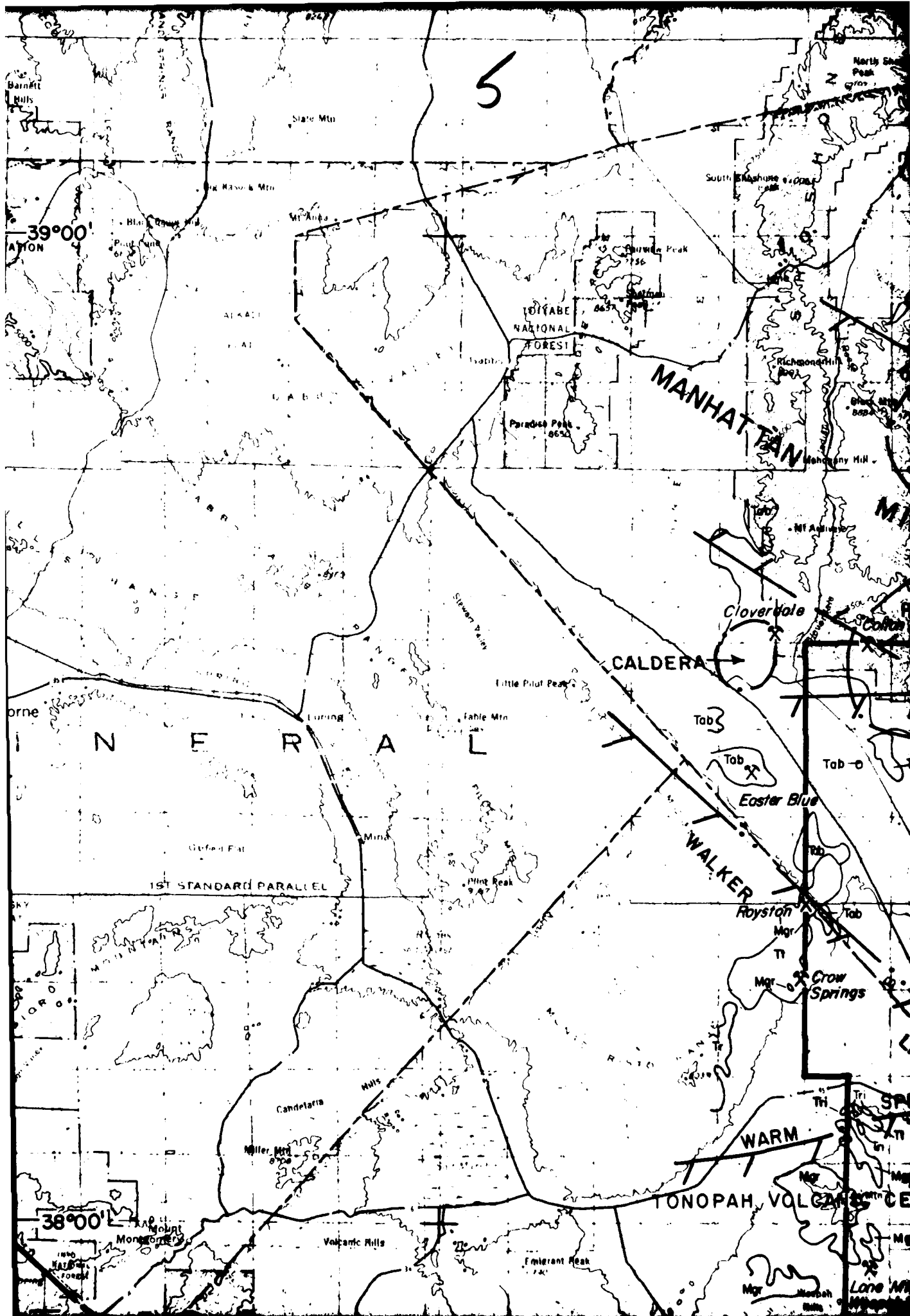
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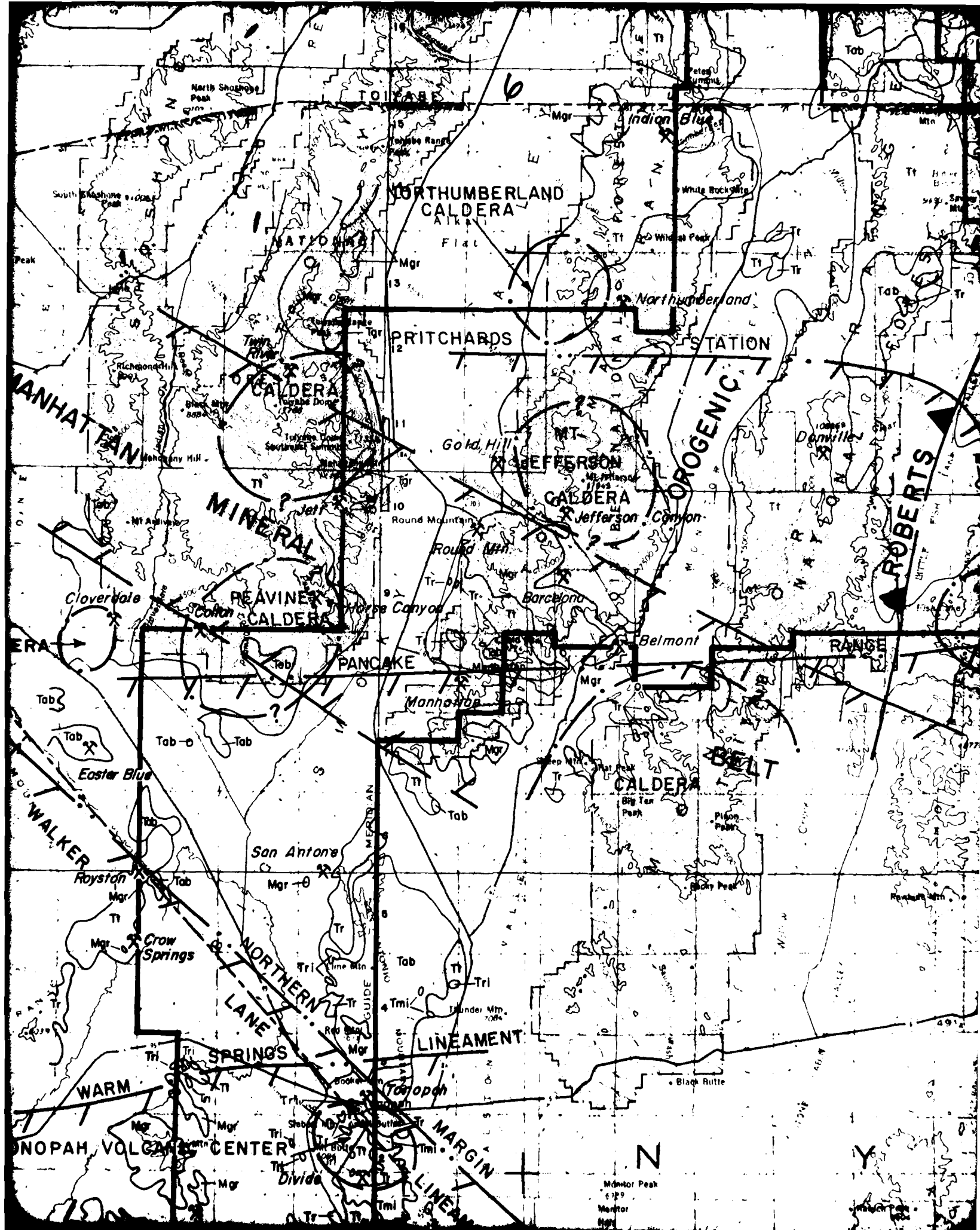


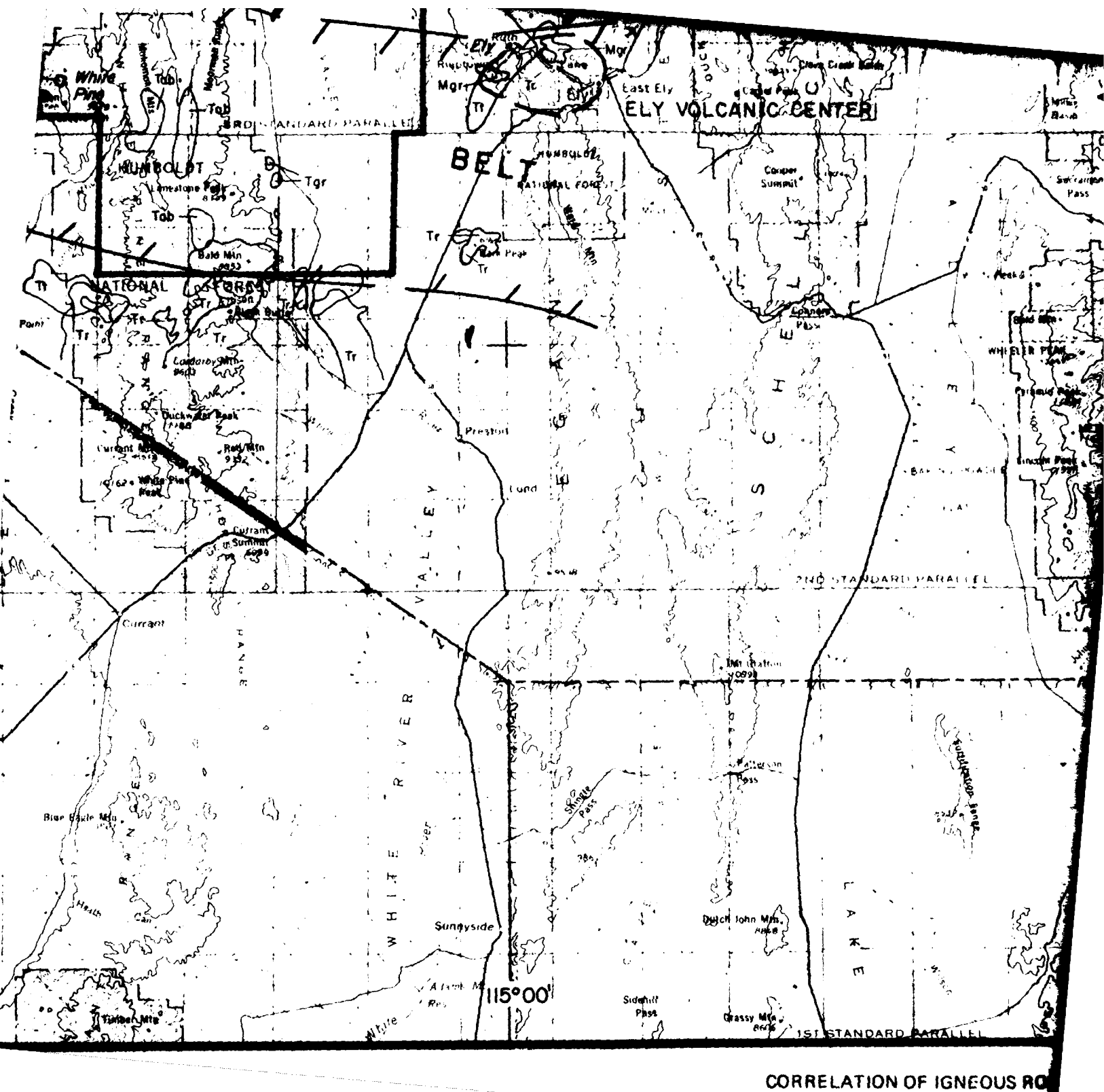




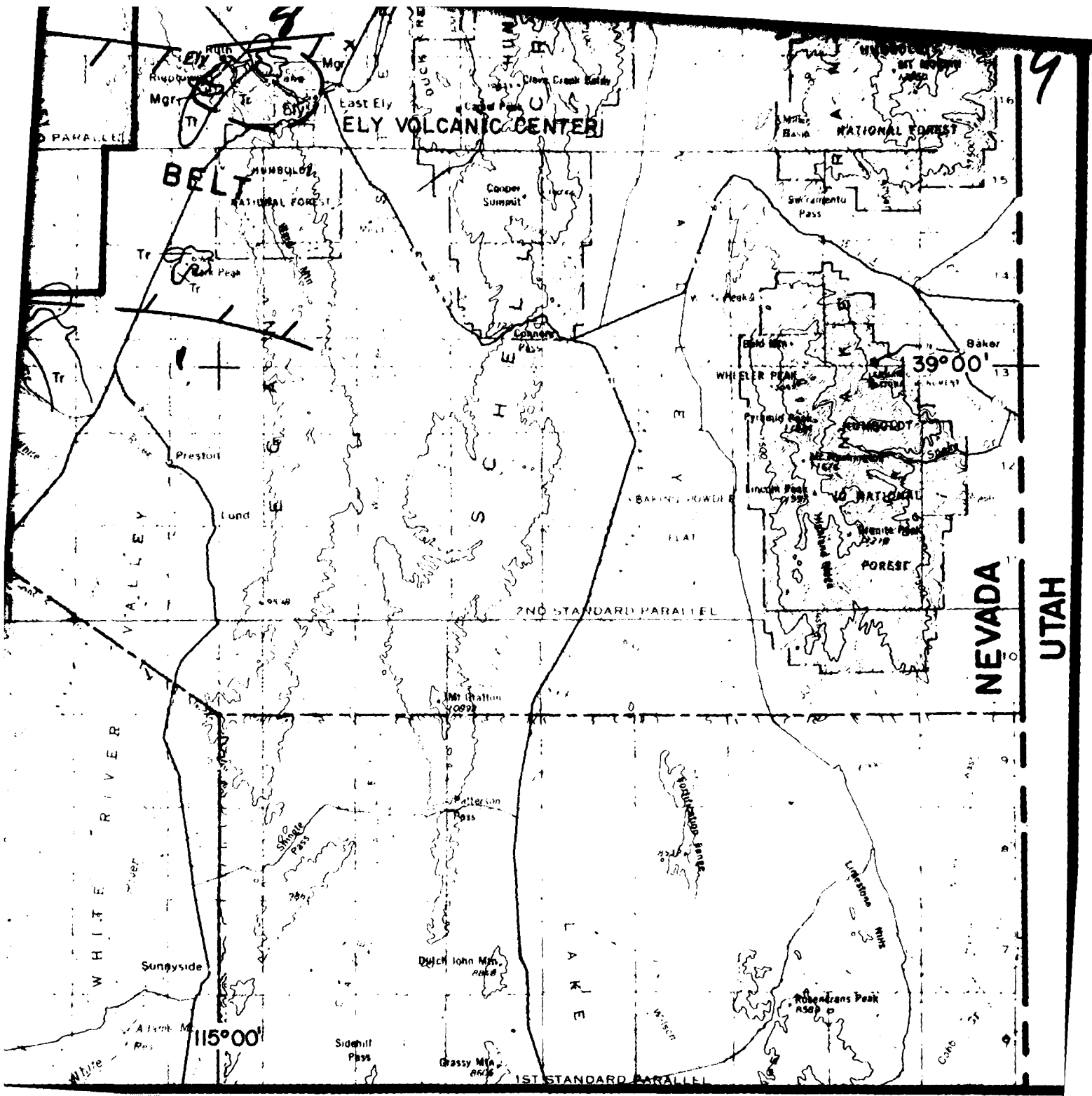








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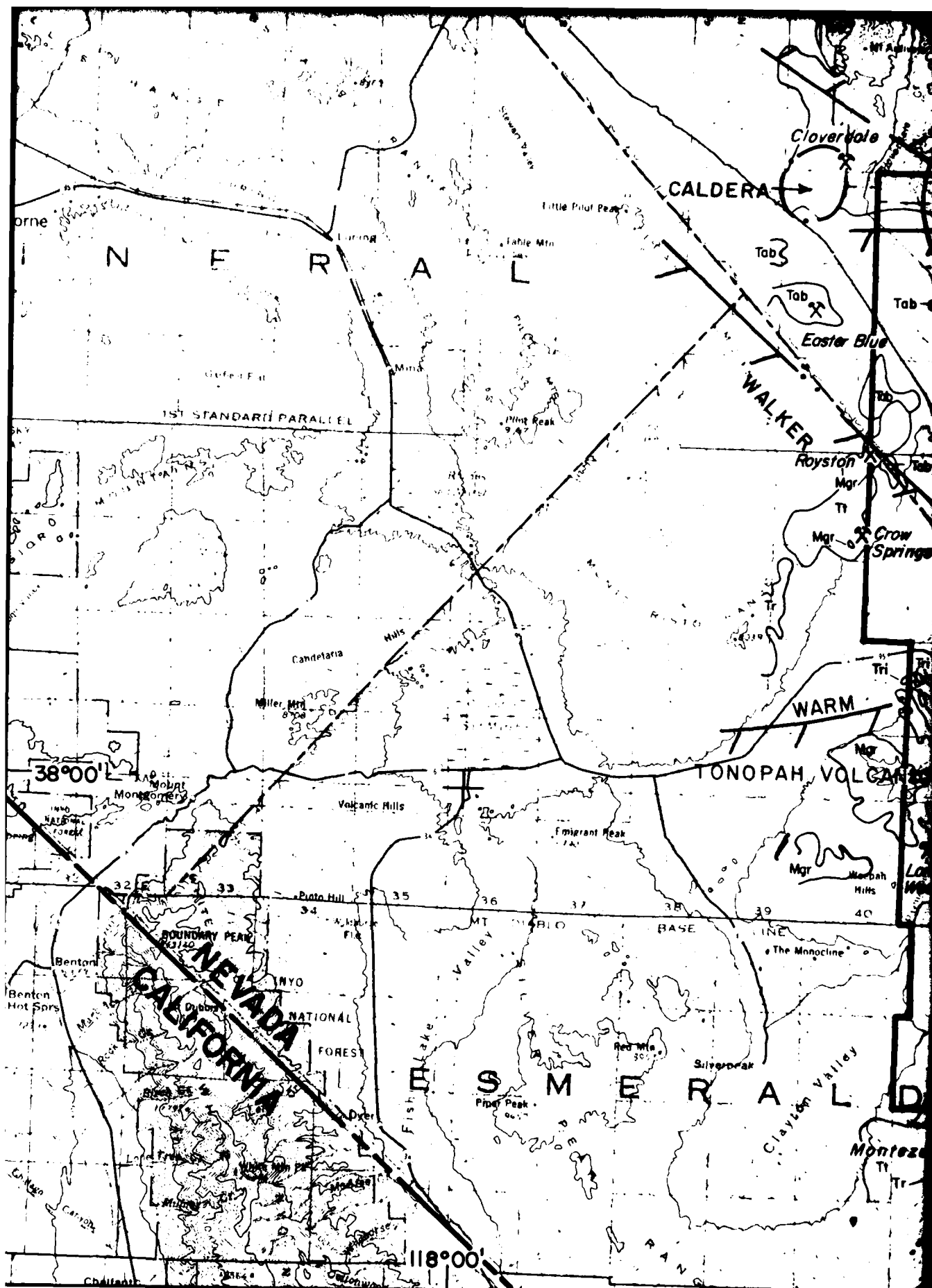
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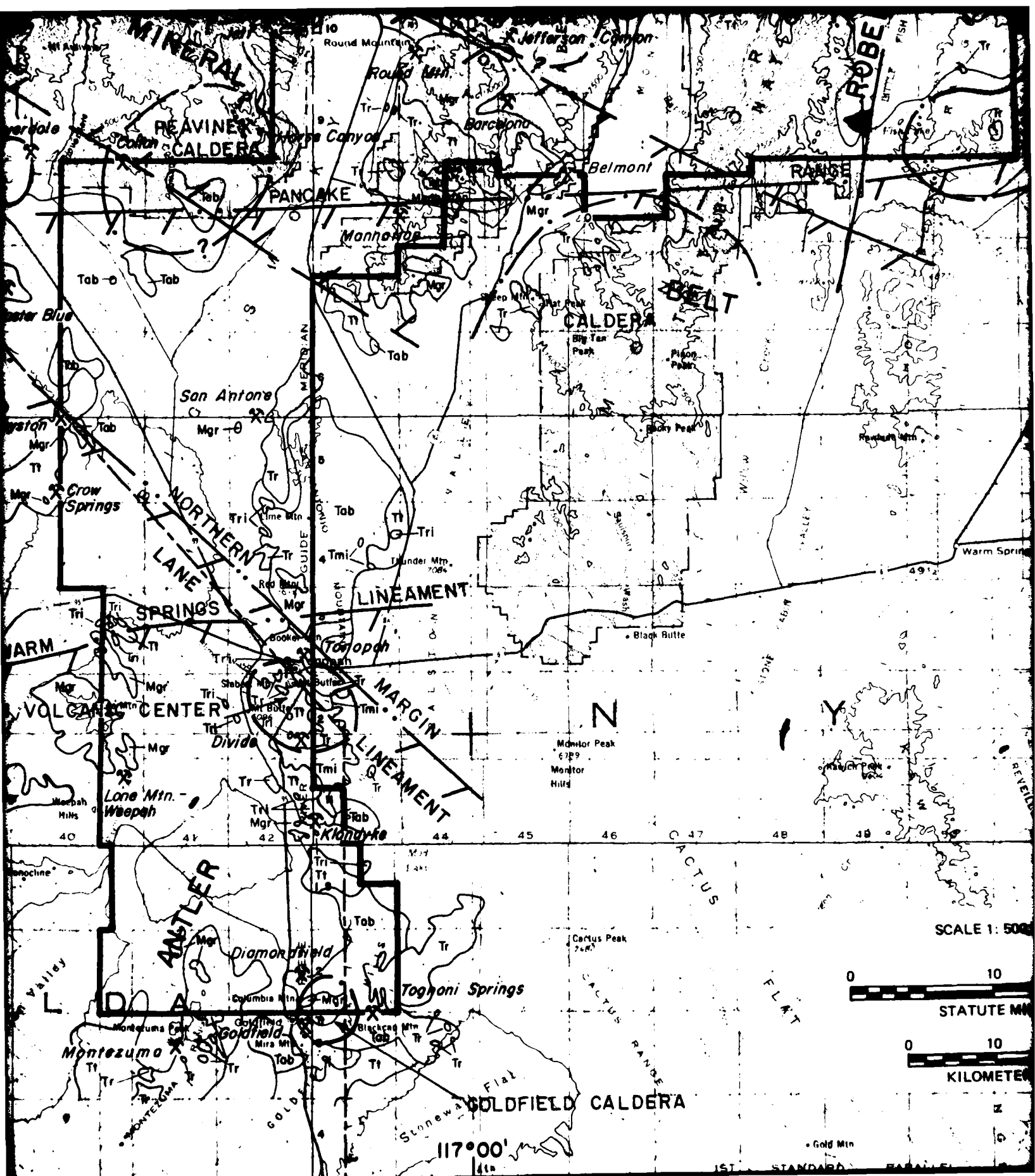
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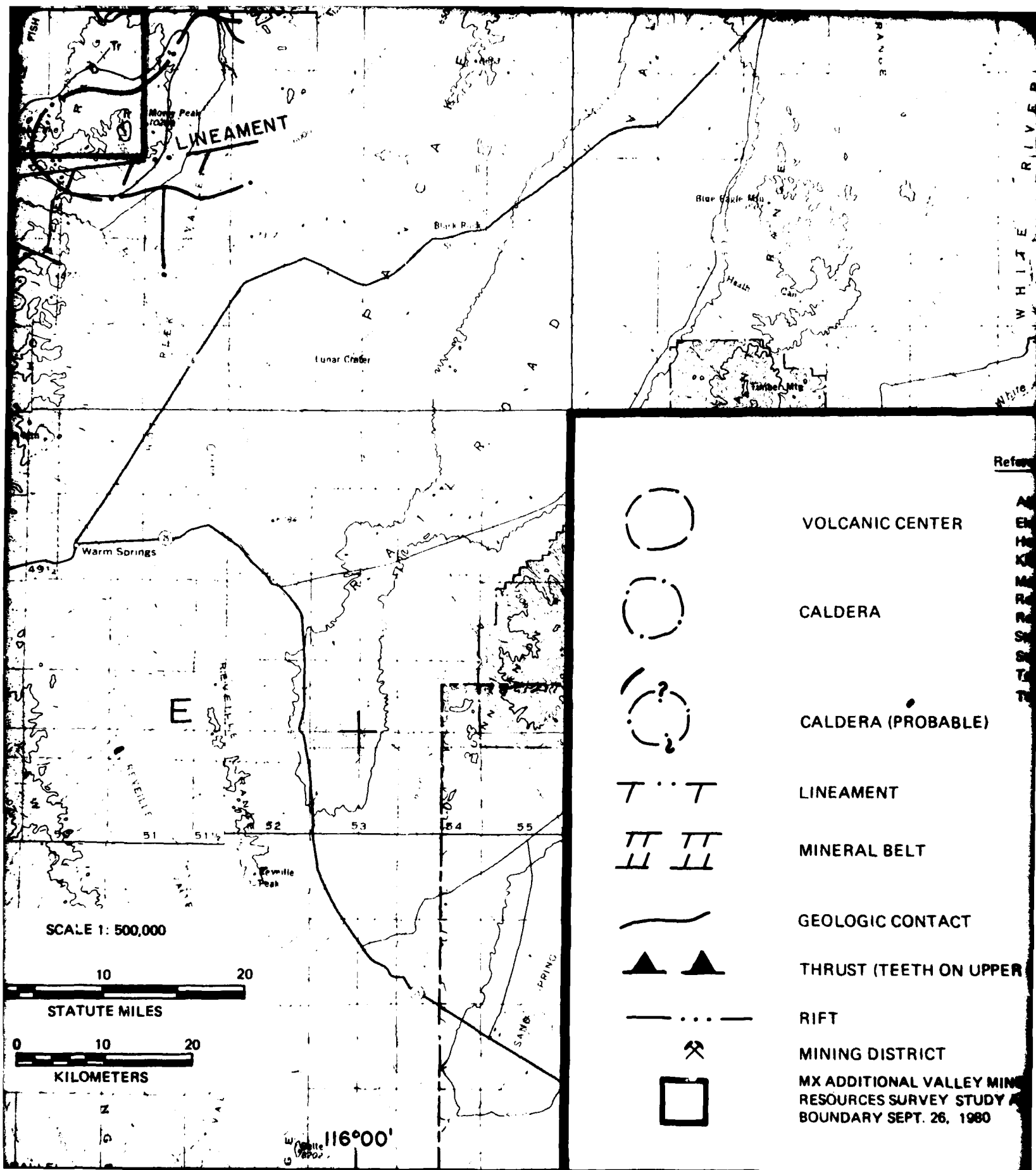
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	Tv	Tv	Undifferentiated Volcanics
	Tr	Trt	Rhyolitic and Acidic Flows and Tuffs
	Tr	Tt	Welded and Non-Welded Silicic Ash Flow Tuffs
	Tr	Tr	Rhyolitic Flows, Ash Flow Tuffs, and Shallow Intrusive Rocks
	Tg	Tri	Rhyolitic Intrusives
	Tg	Tmi	Mafic to Intermediate Intrusives
	Tg	Tgr	Granitic Intrusives (Includes Granite, Quartz Monzonite, Granodiorite, Quartz Latite, Diorite)
MESO-ZOIC	Kg, Jig	Mgr	Mesozoic and Laramide Intrusives (Includes Granite through Diorite)

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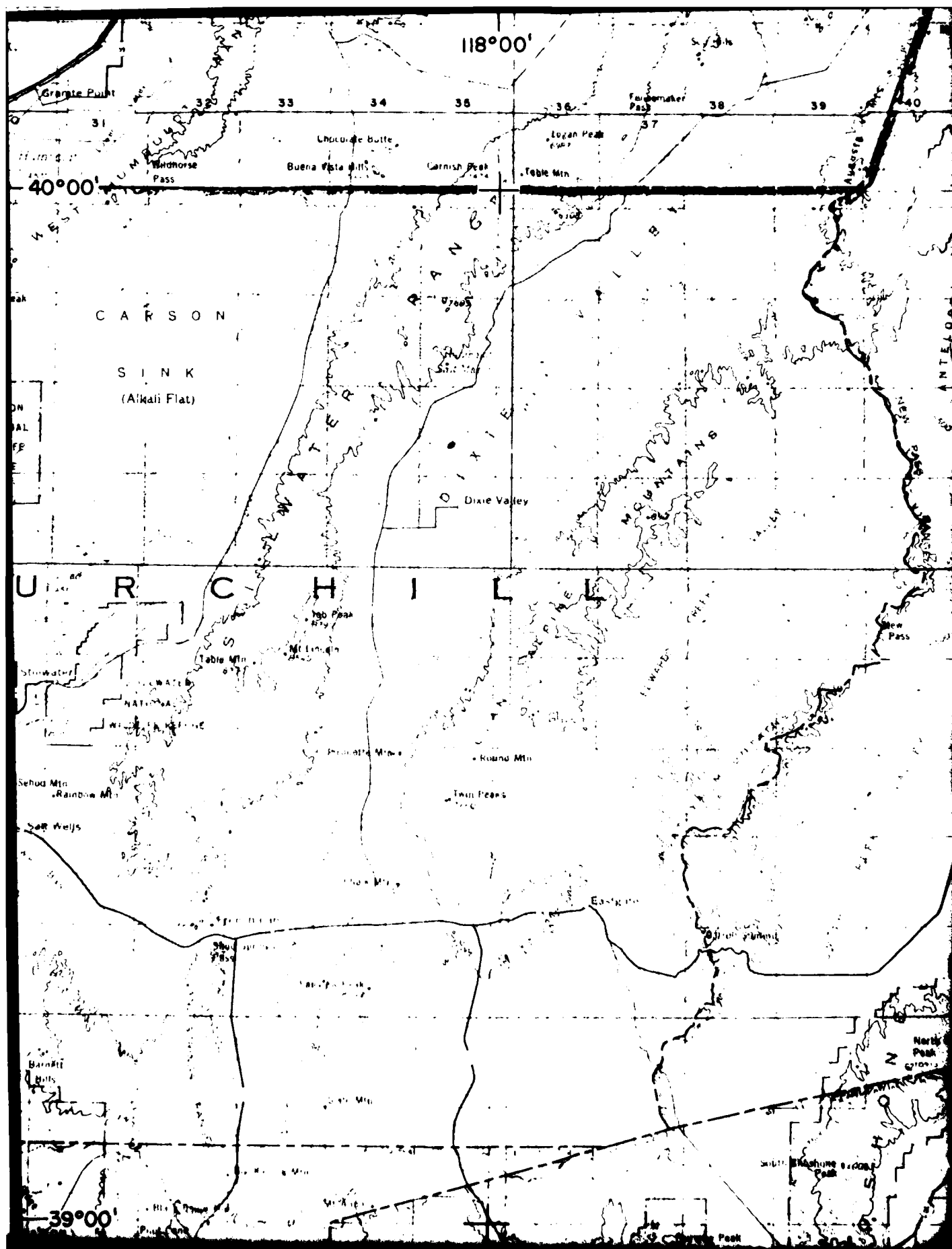
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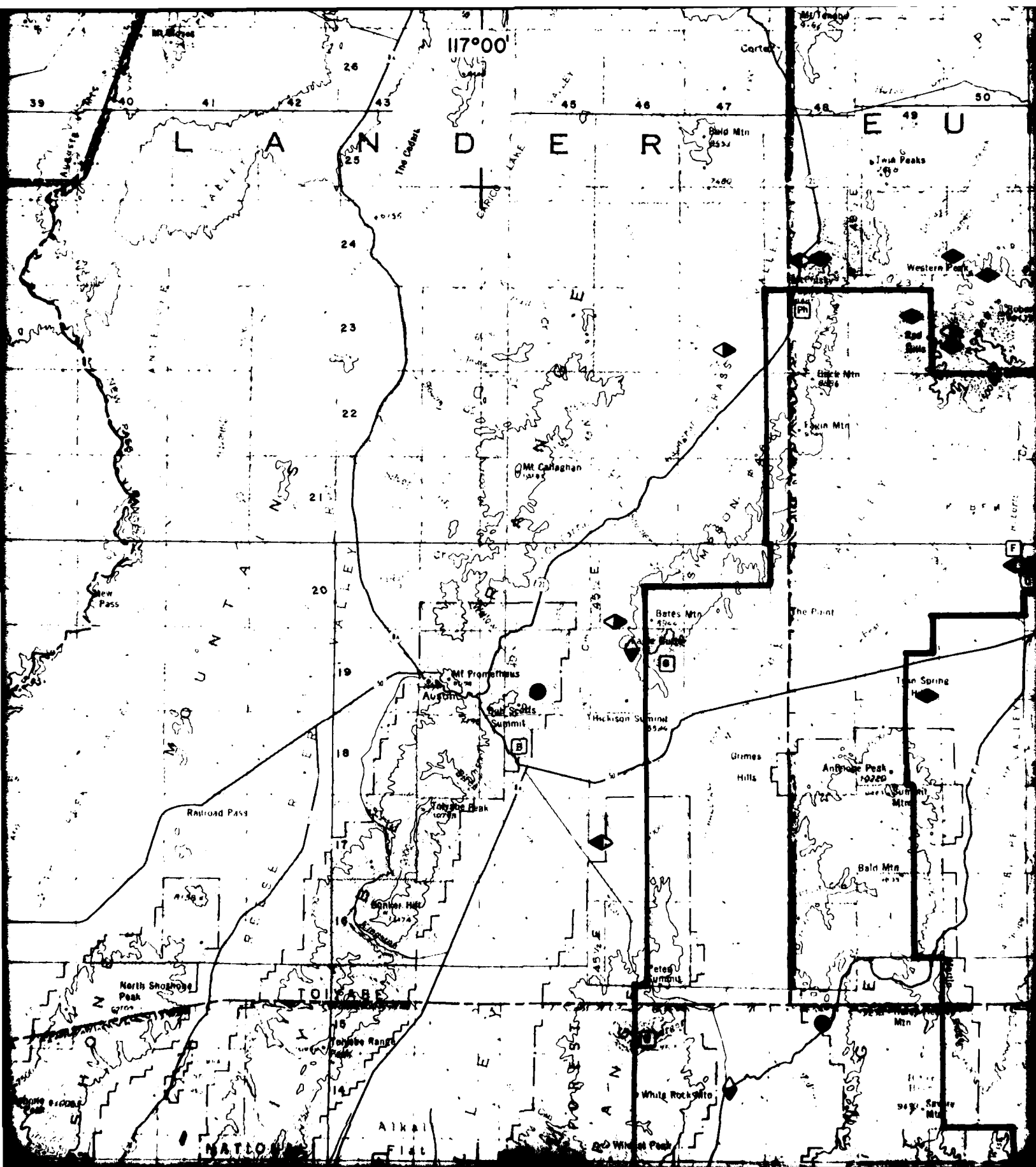
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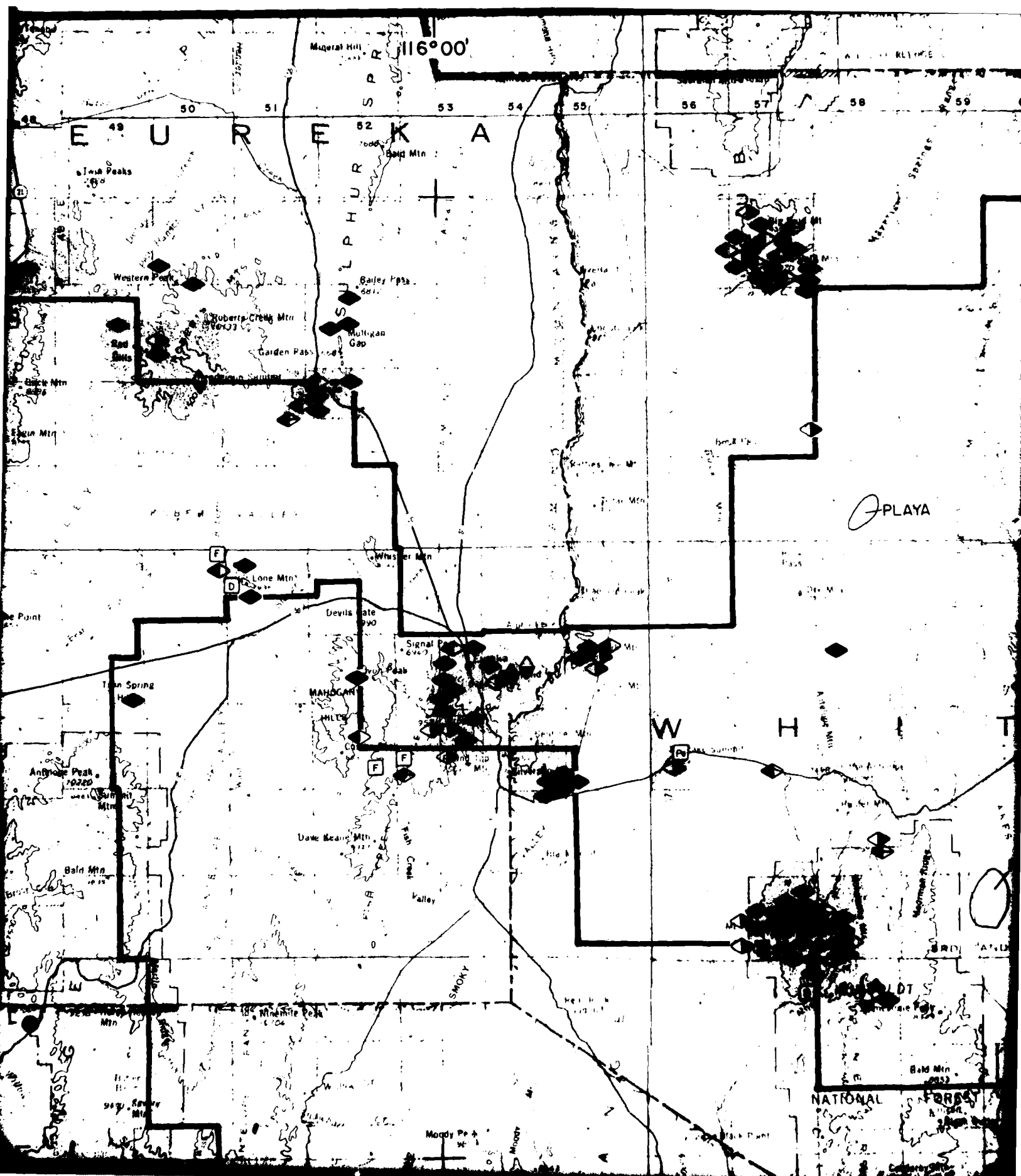
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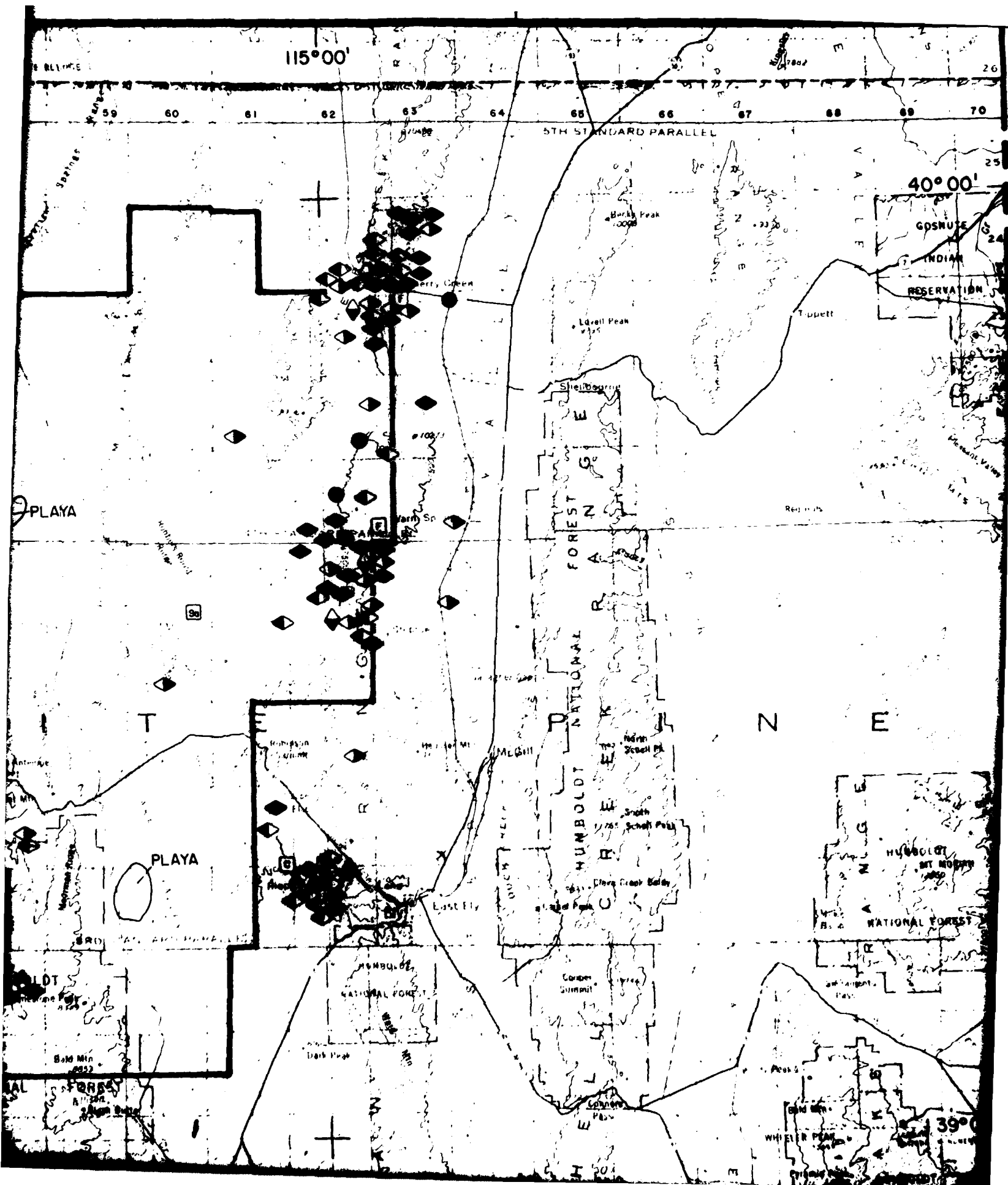
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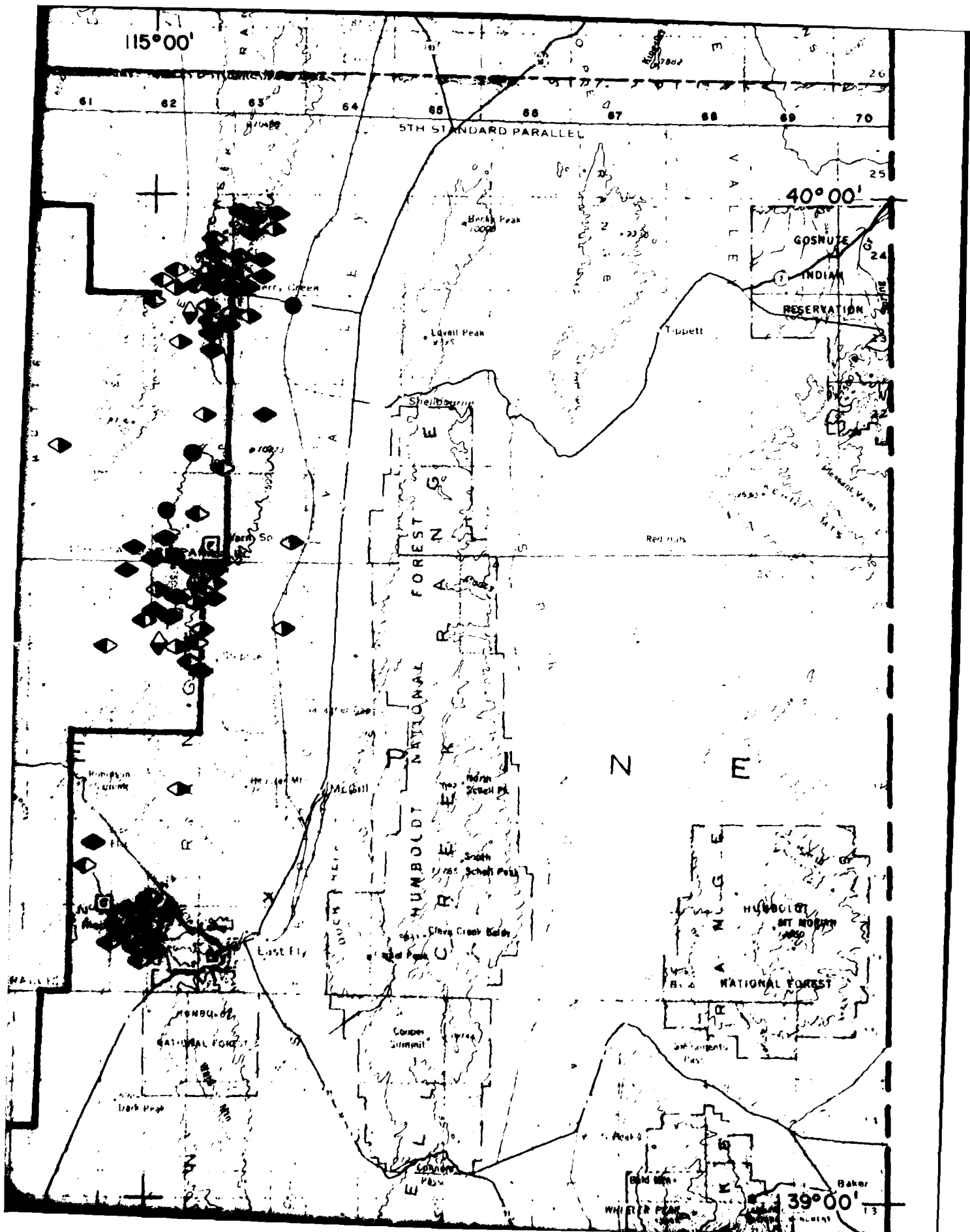
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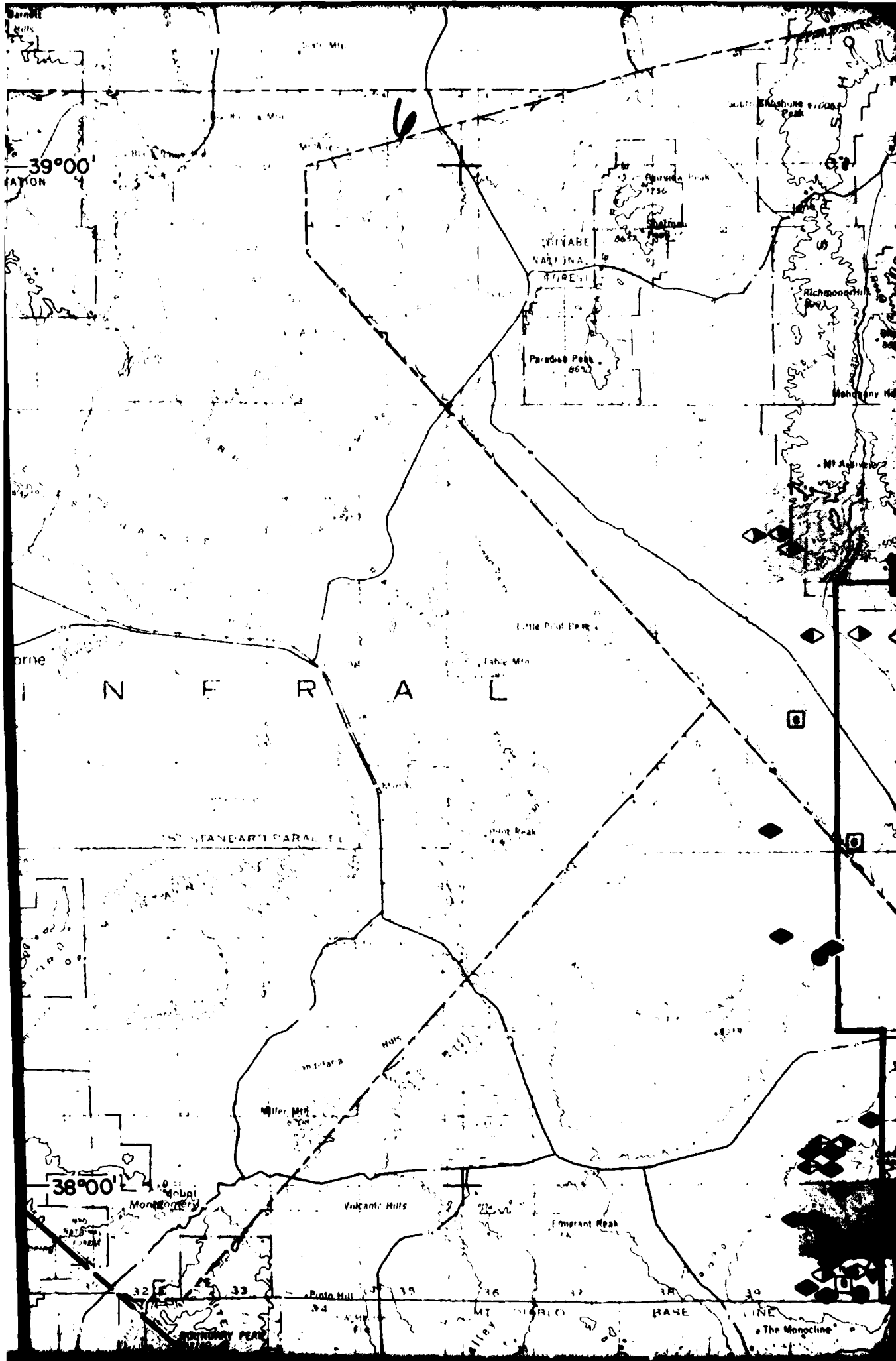


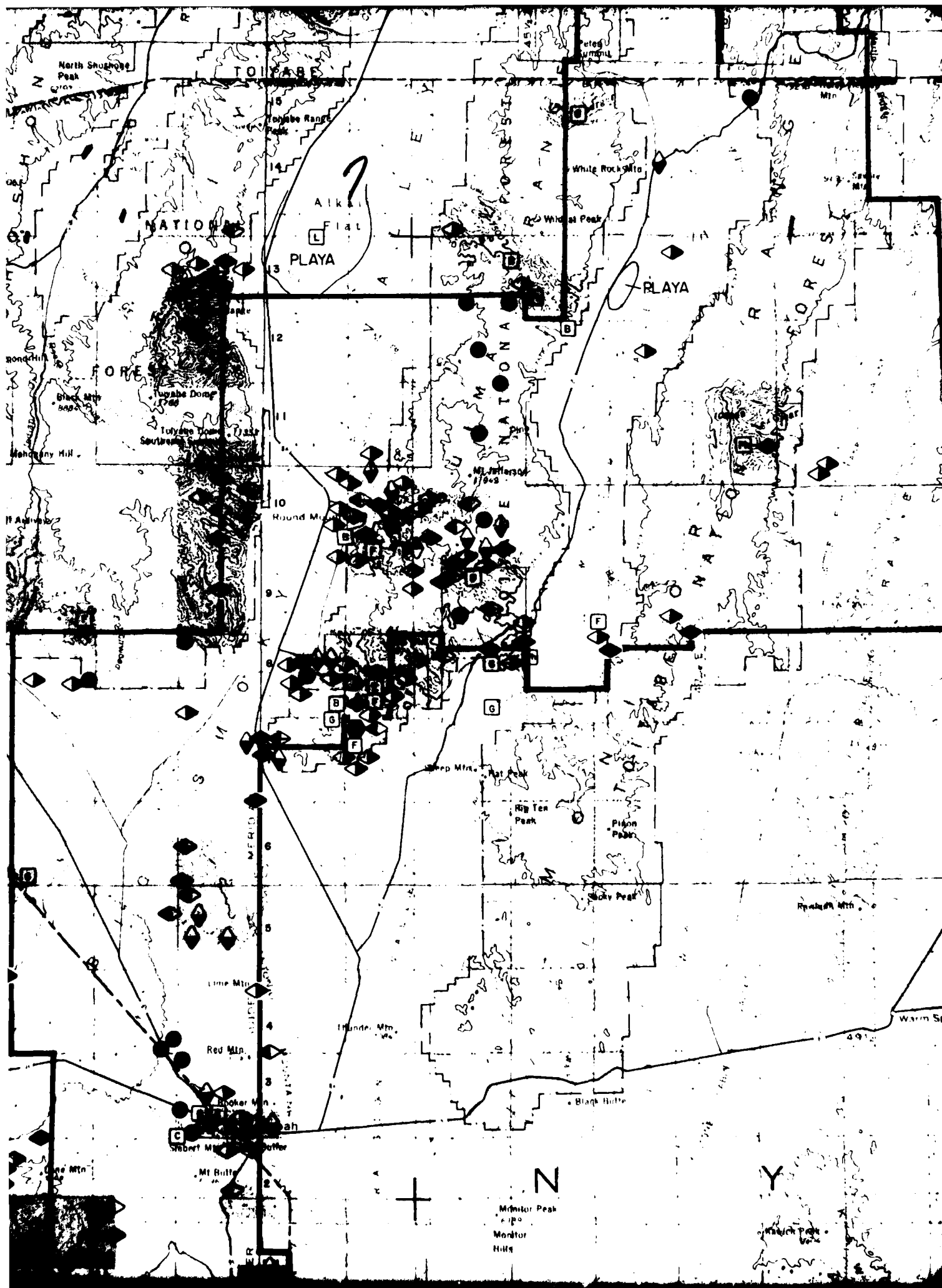


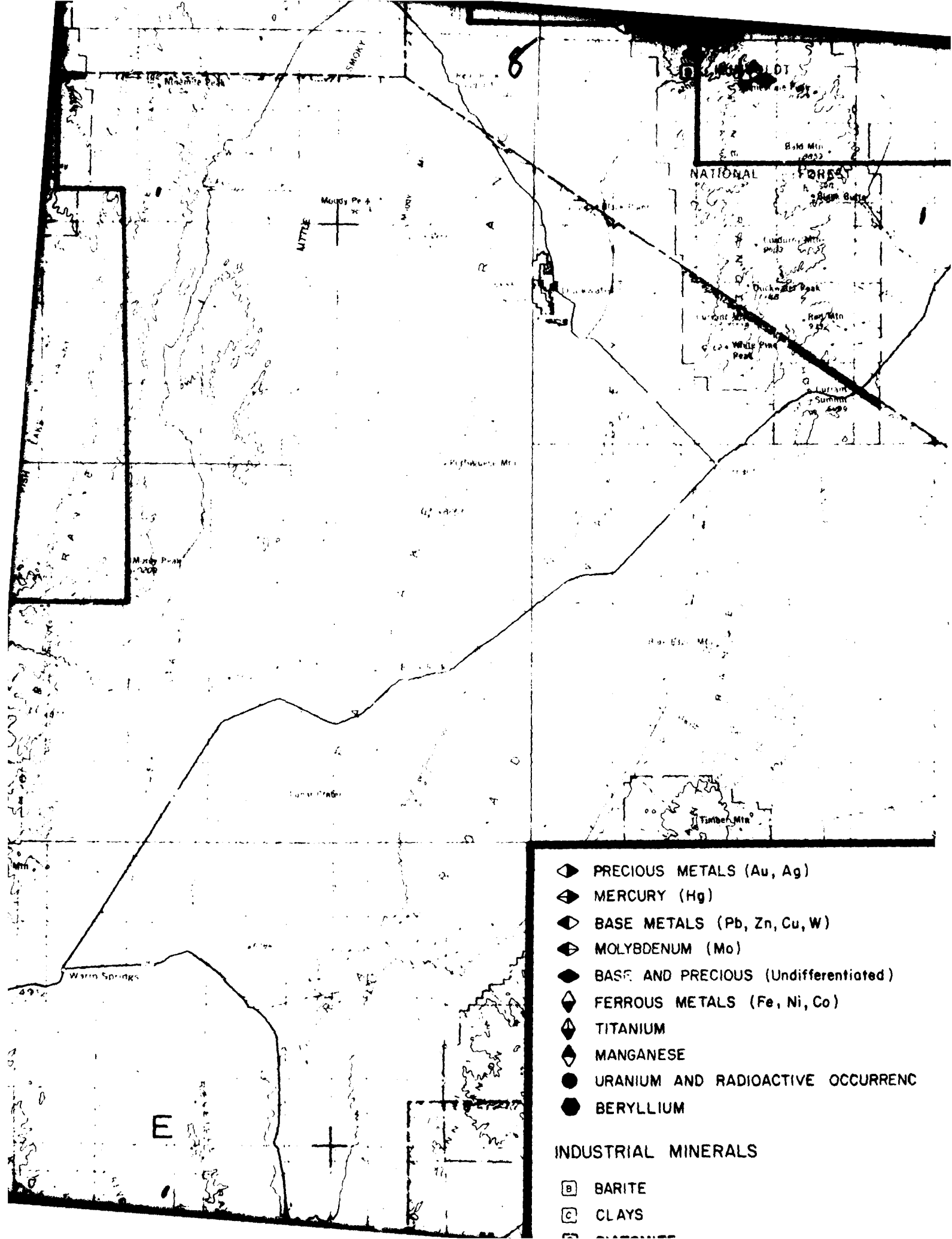












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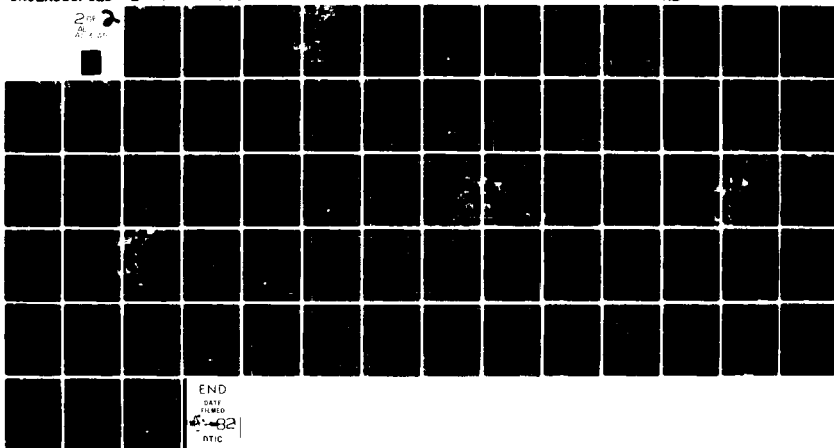
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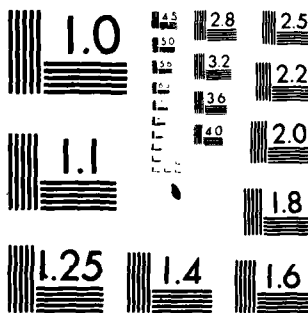
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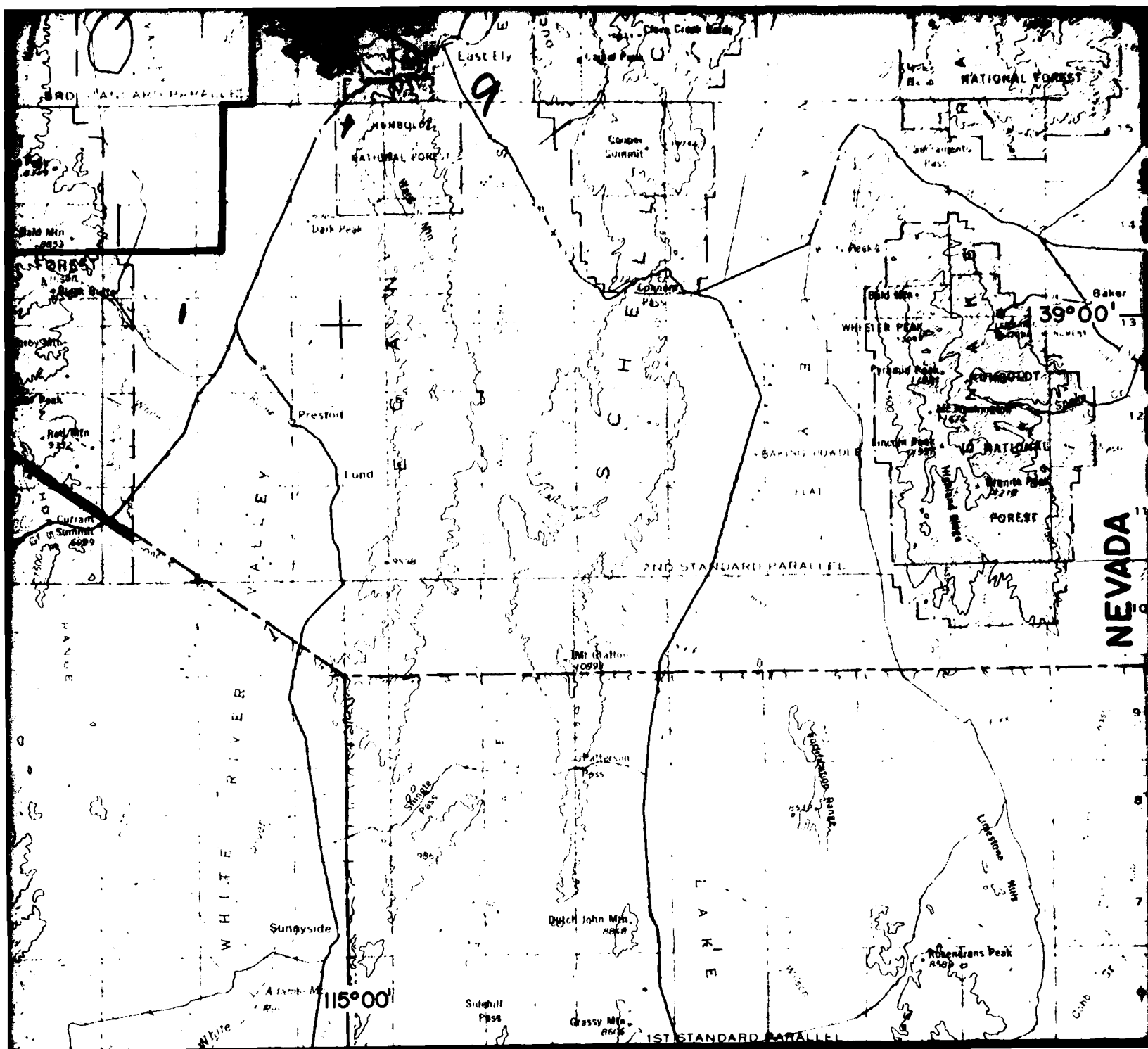
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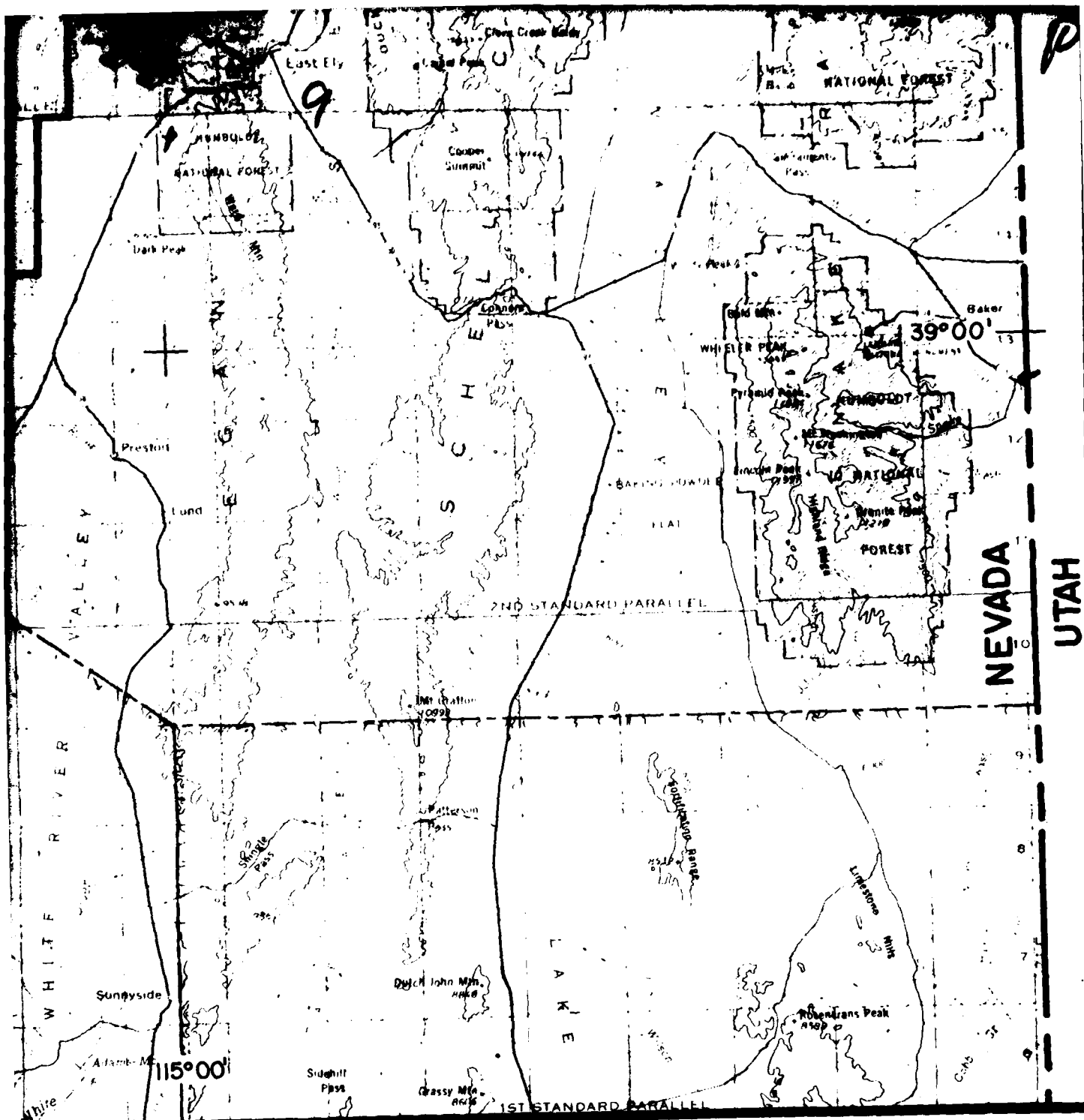


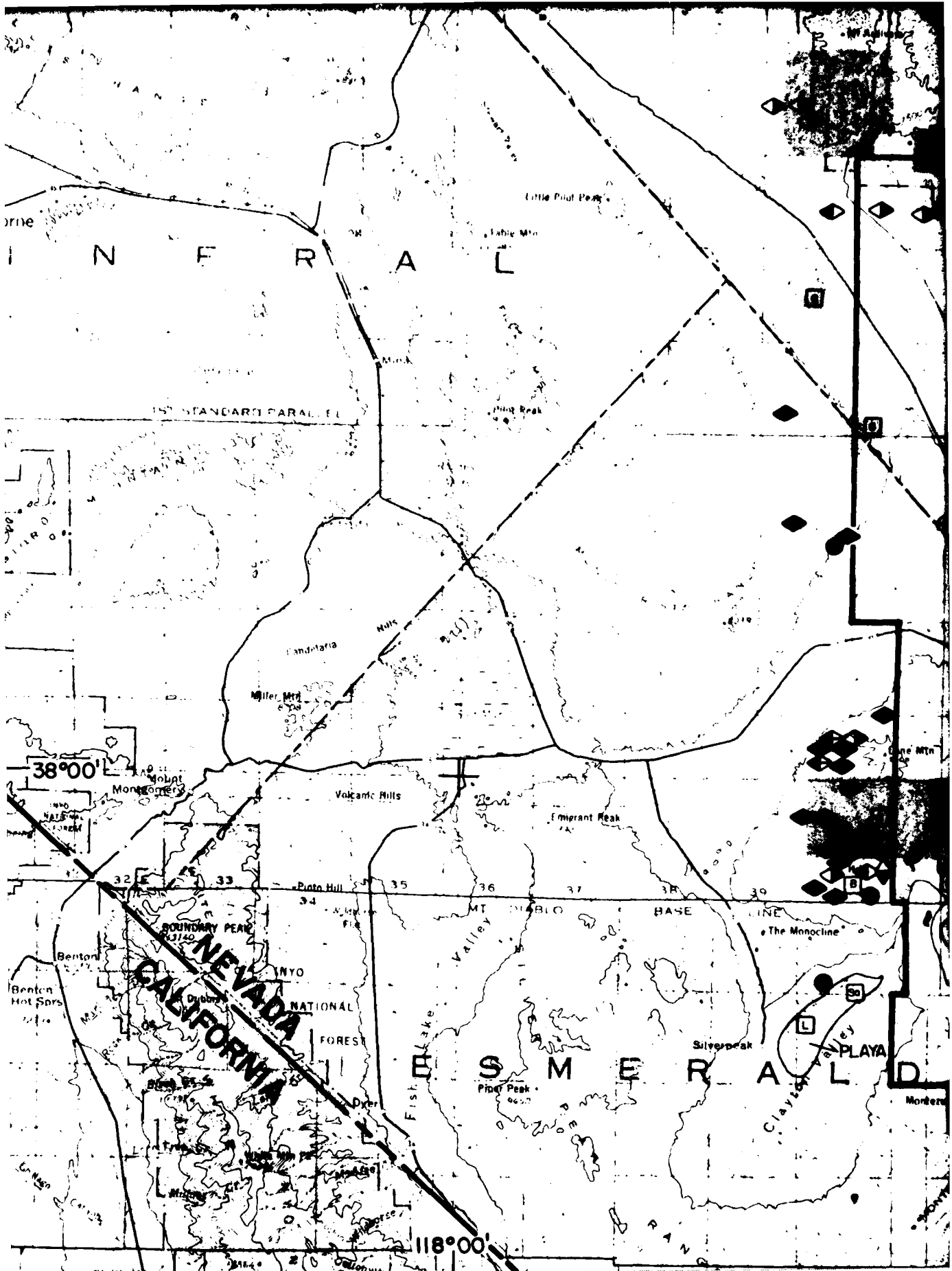
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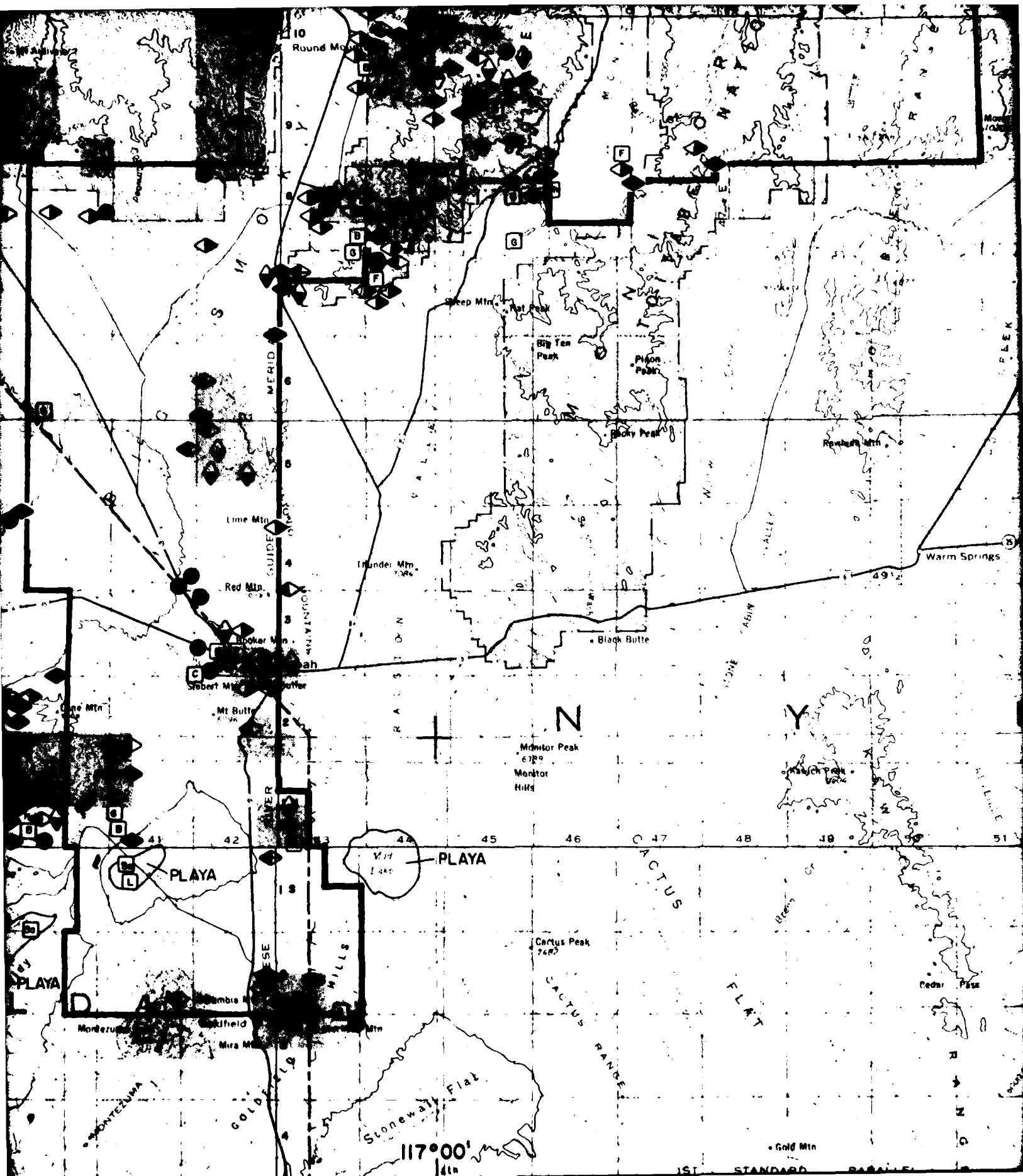


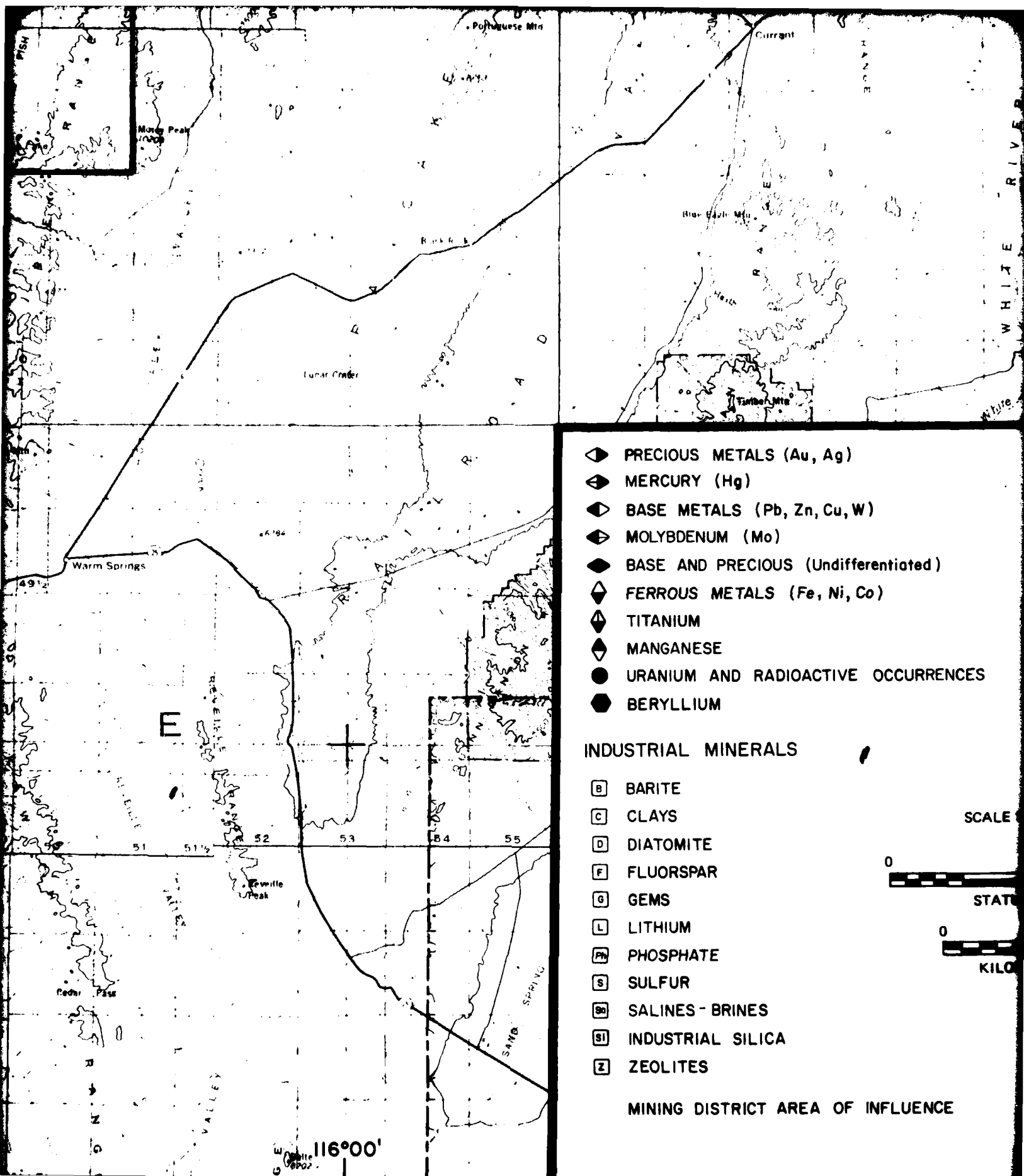
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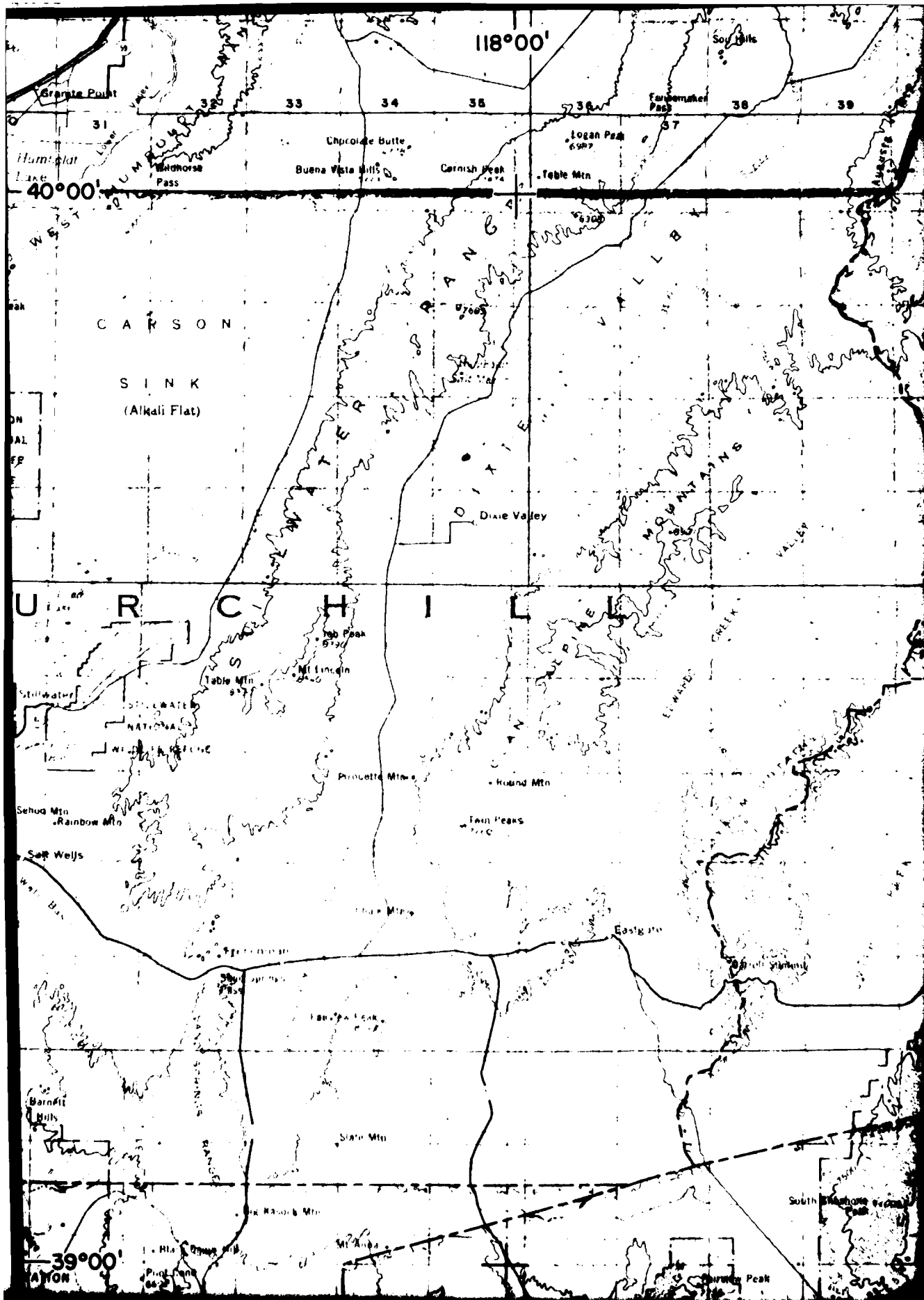


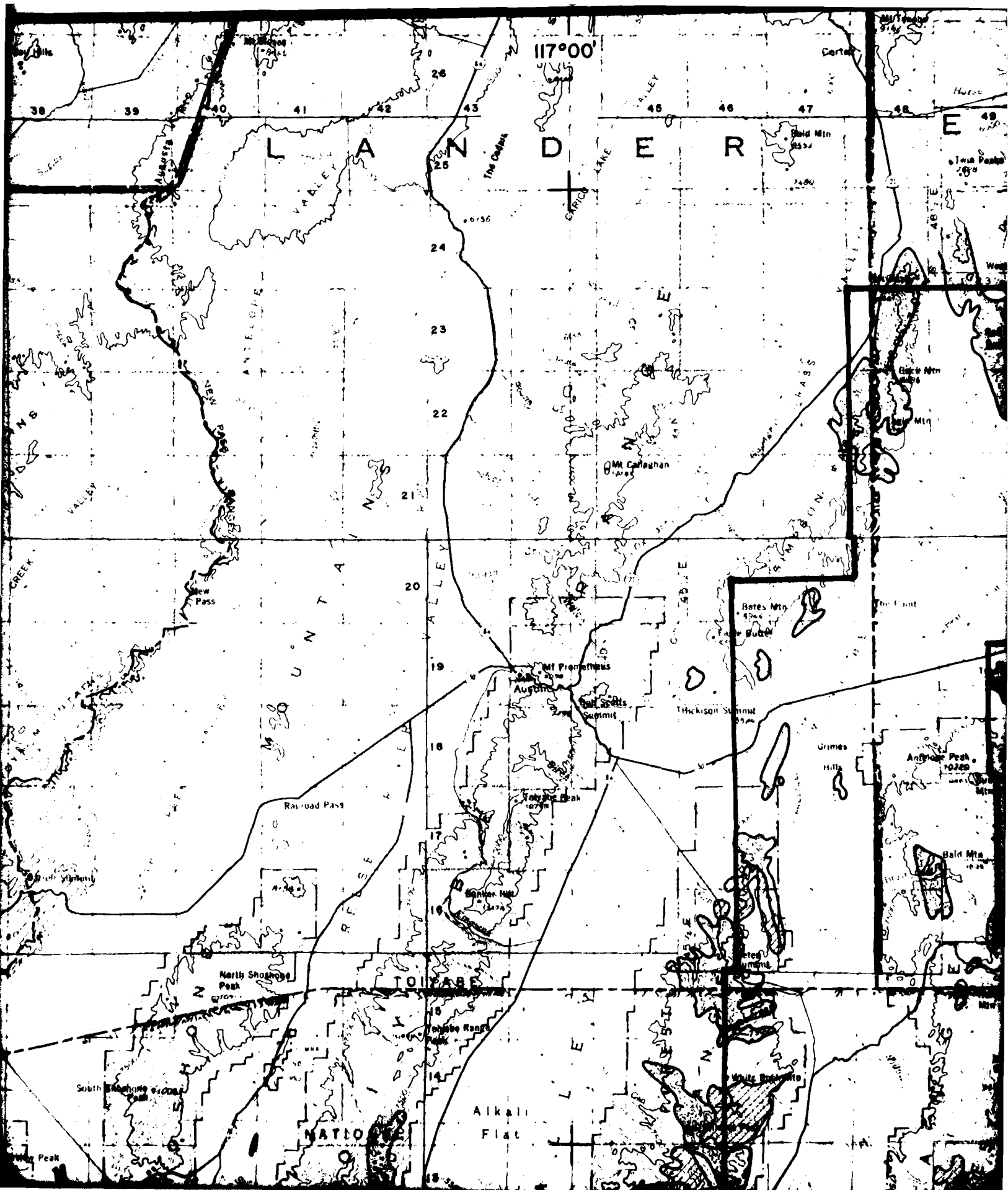
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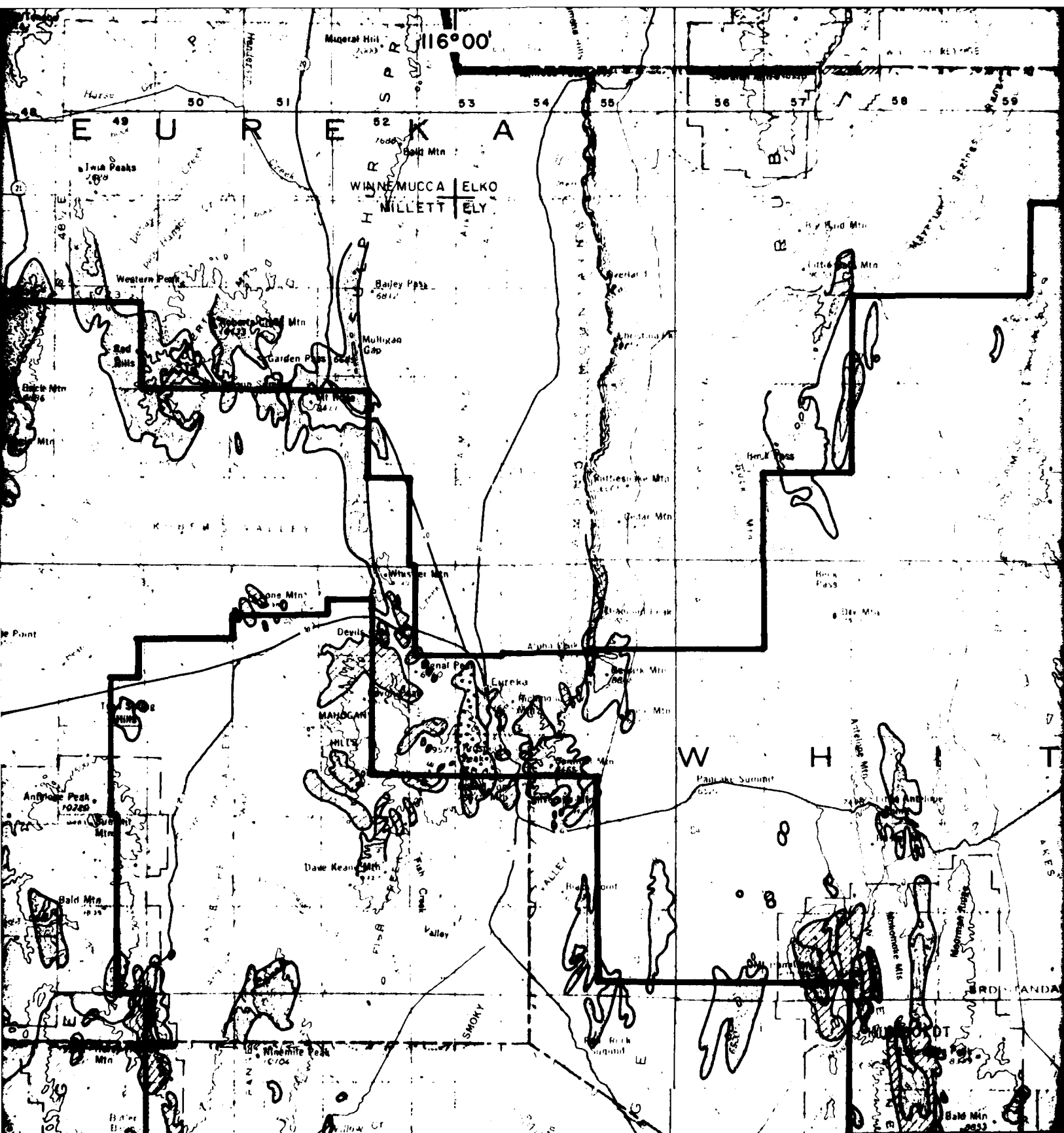
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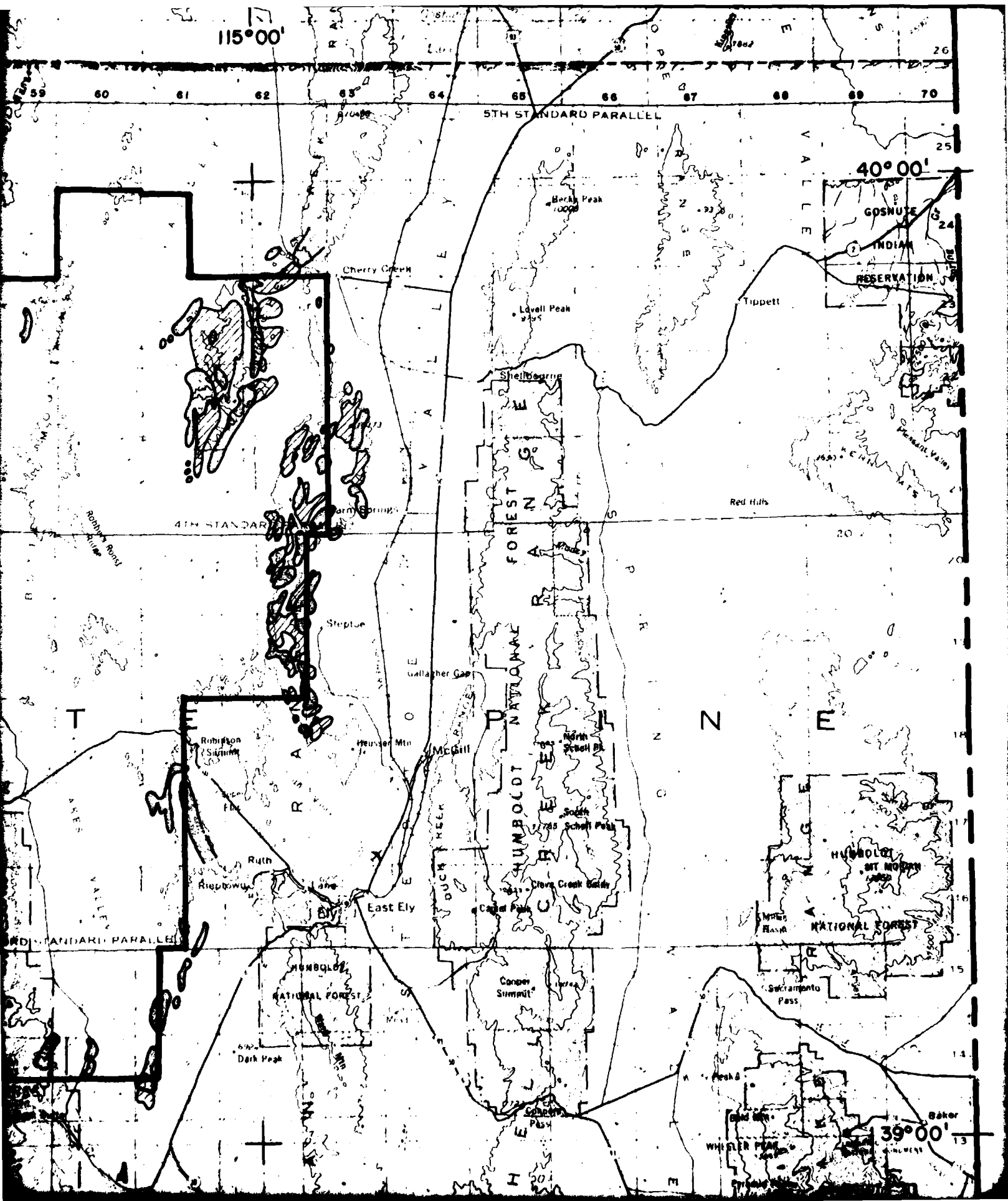
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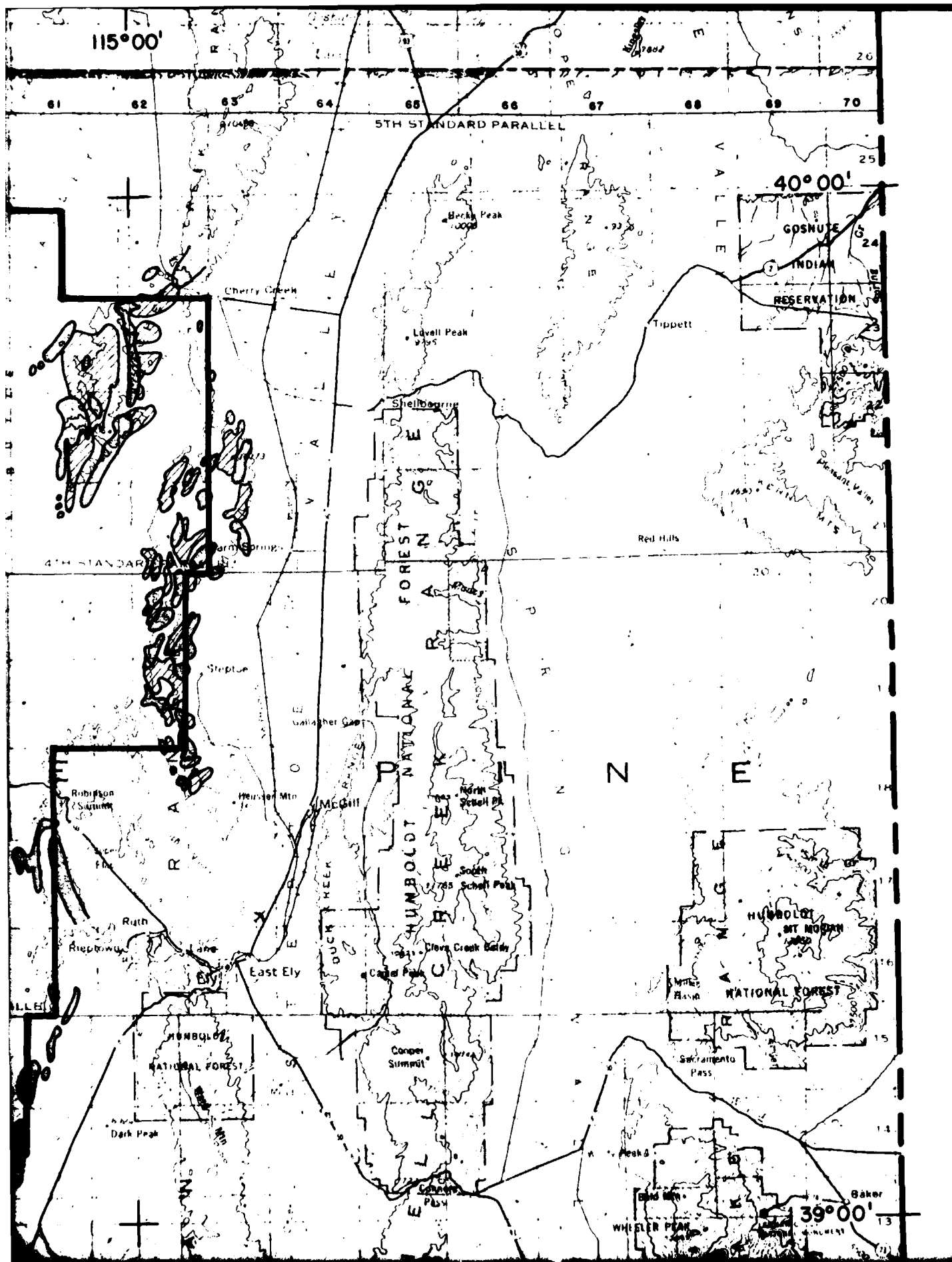
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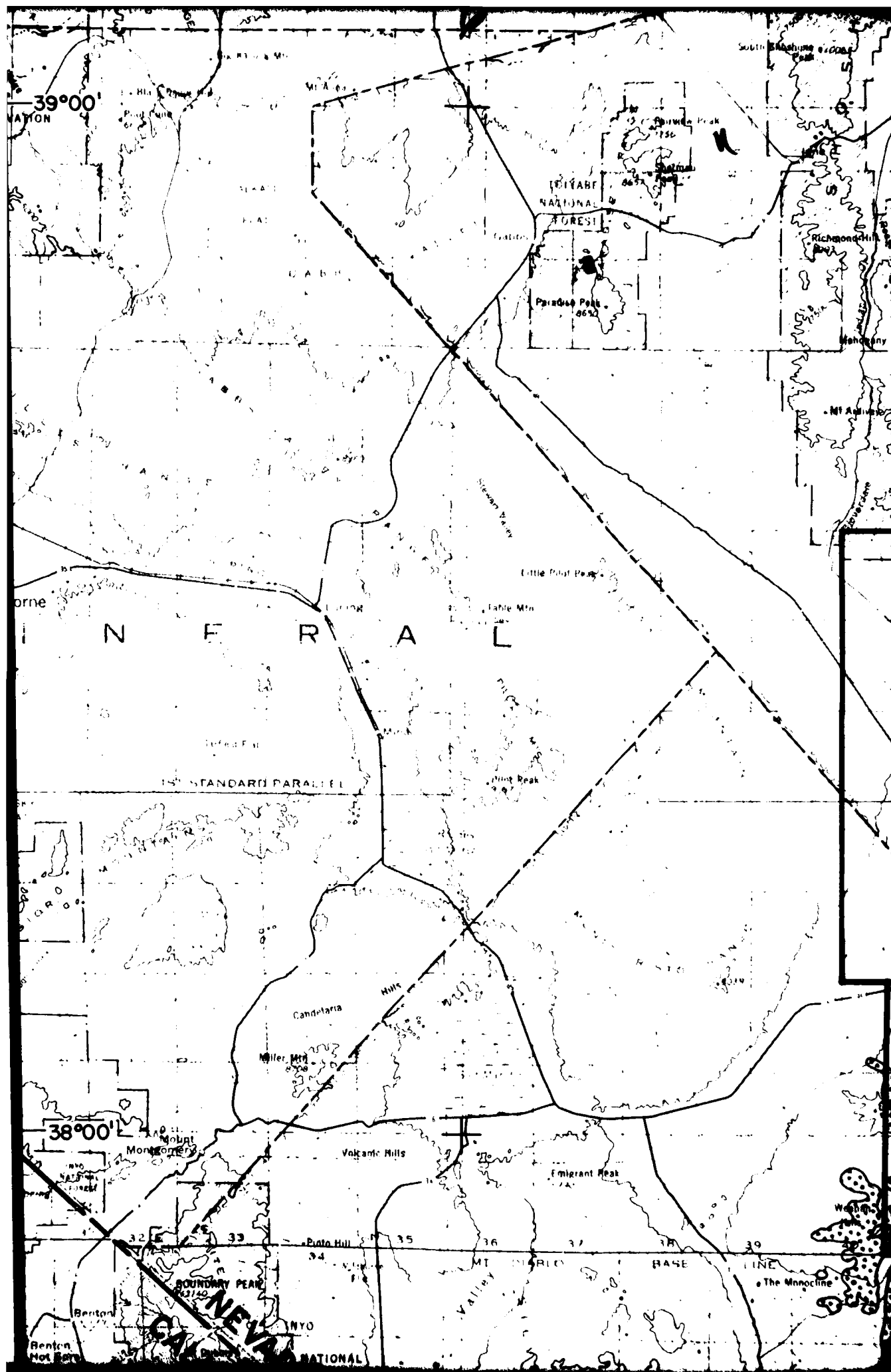


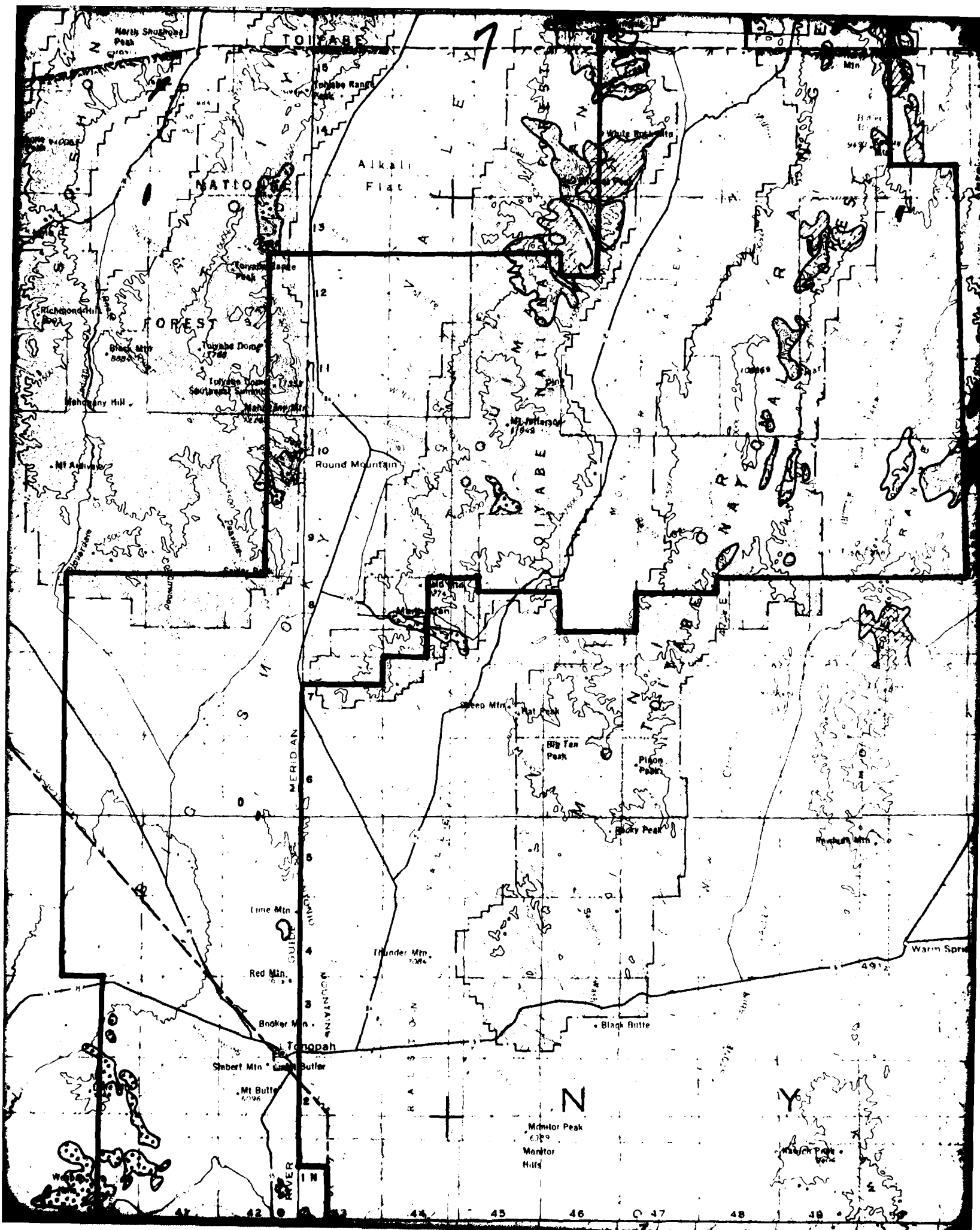


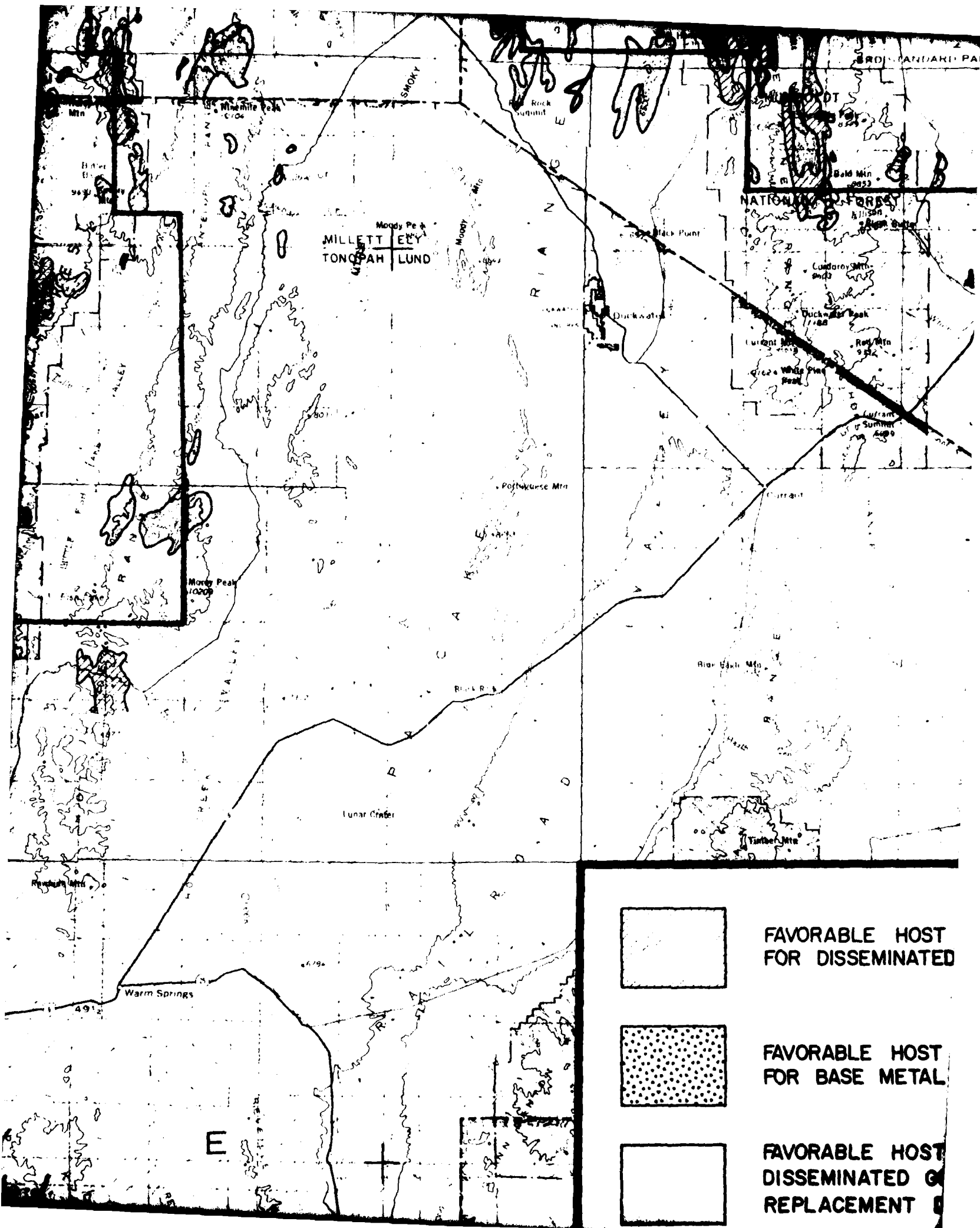








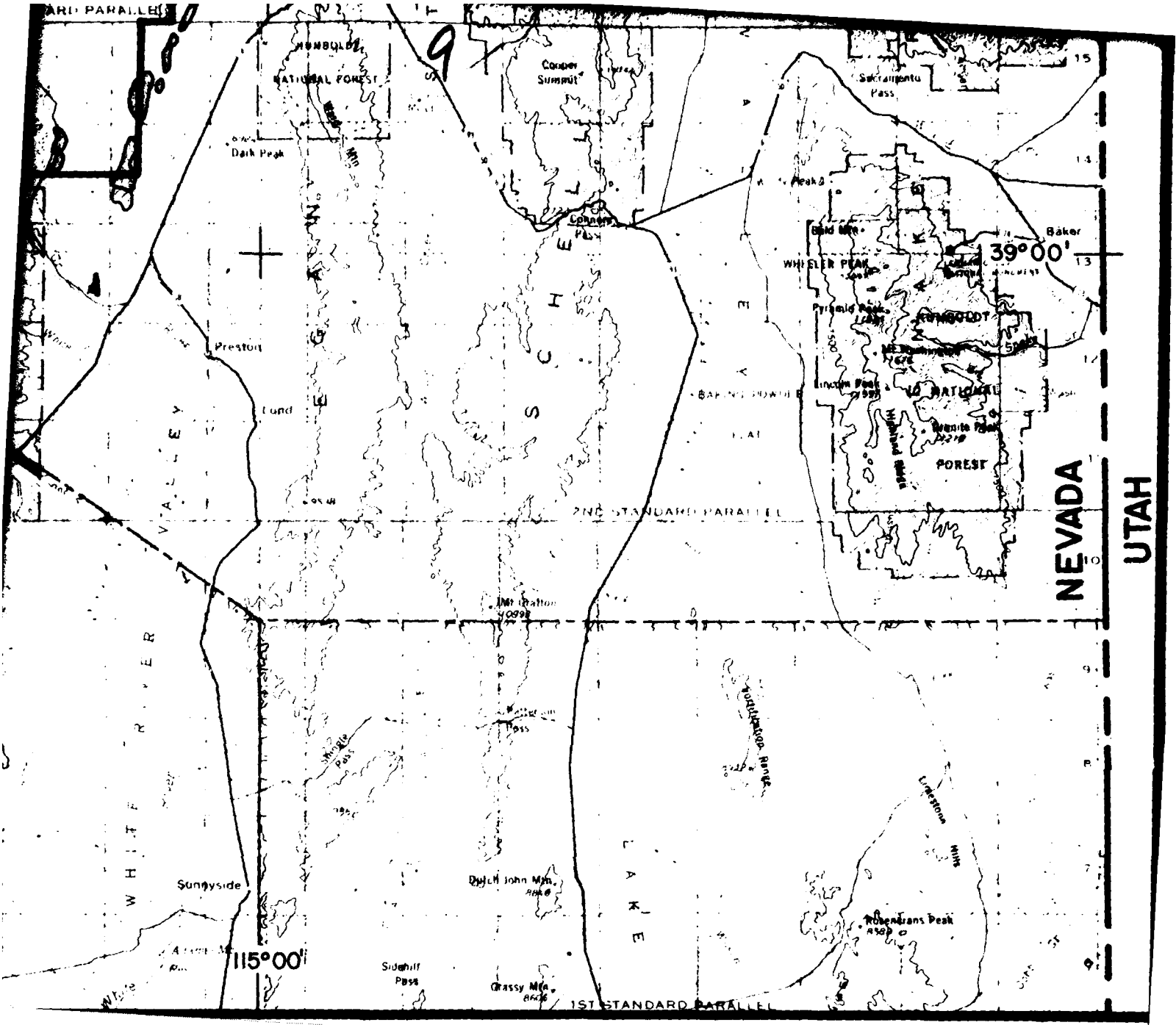


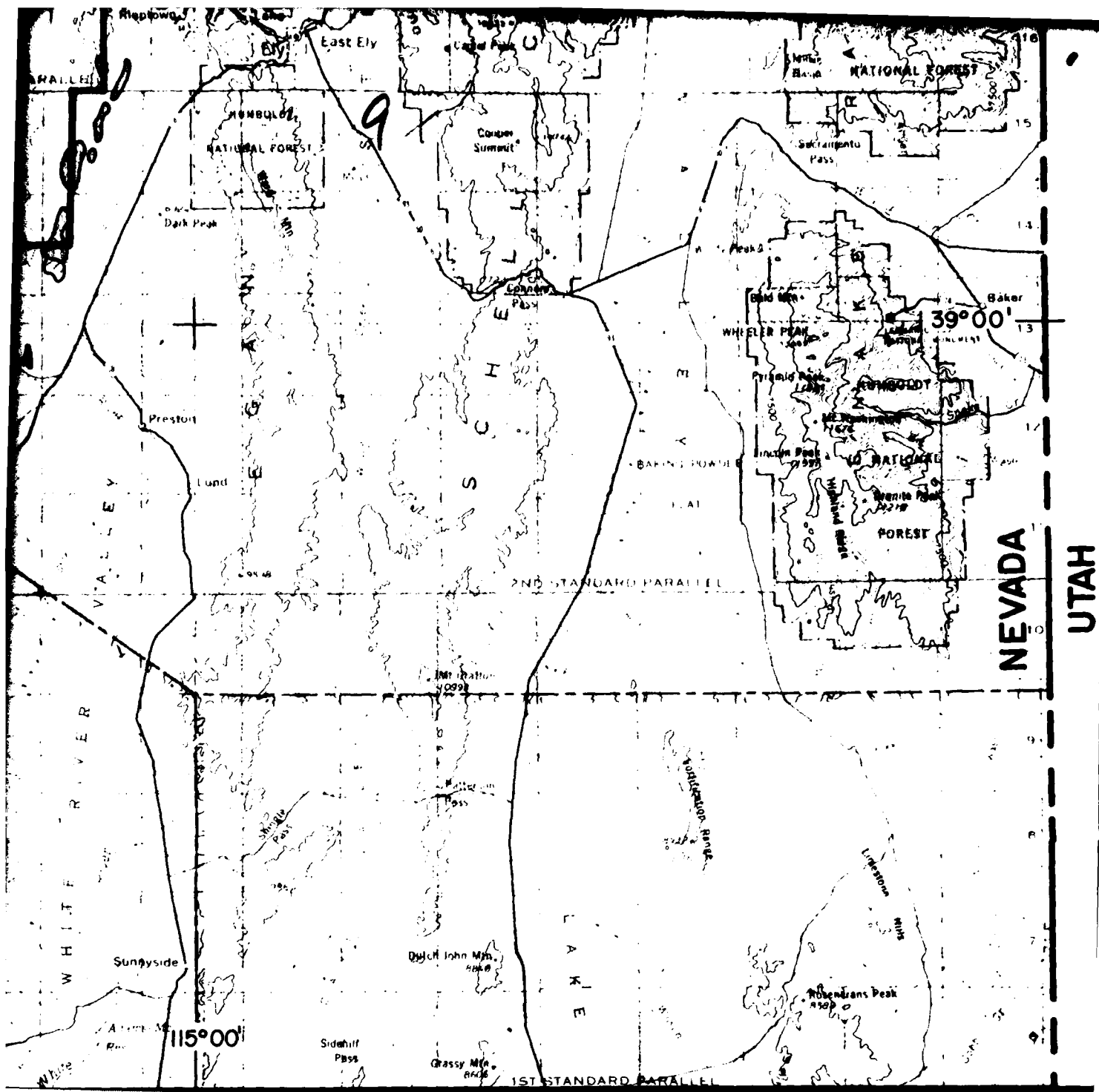


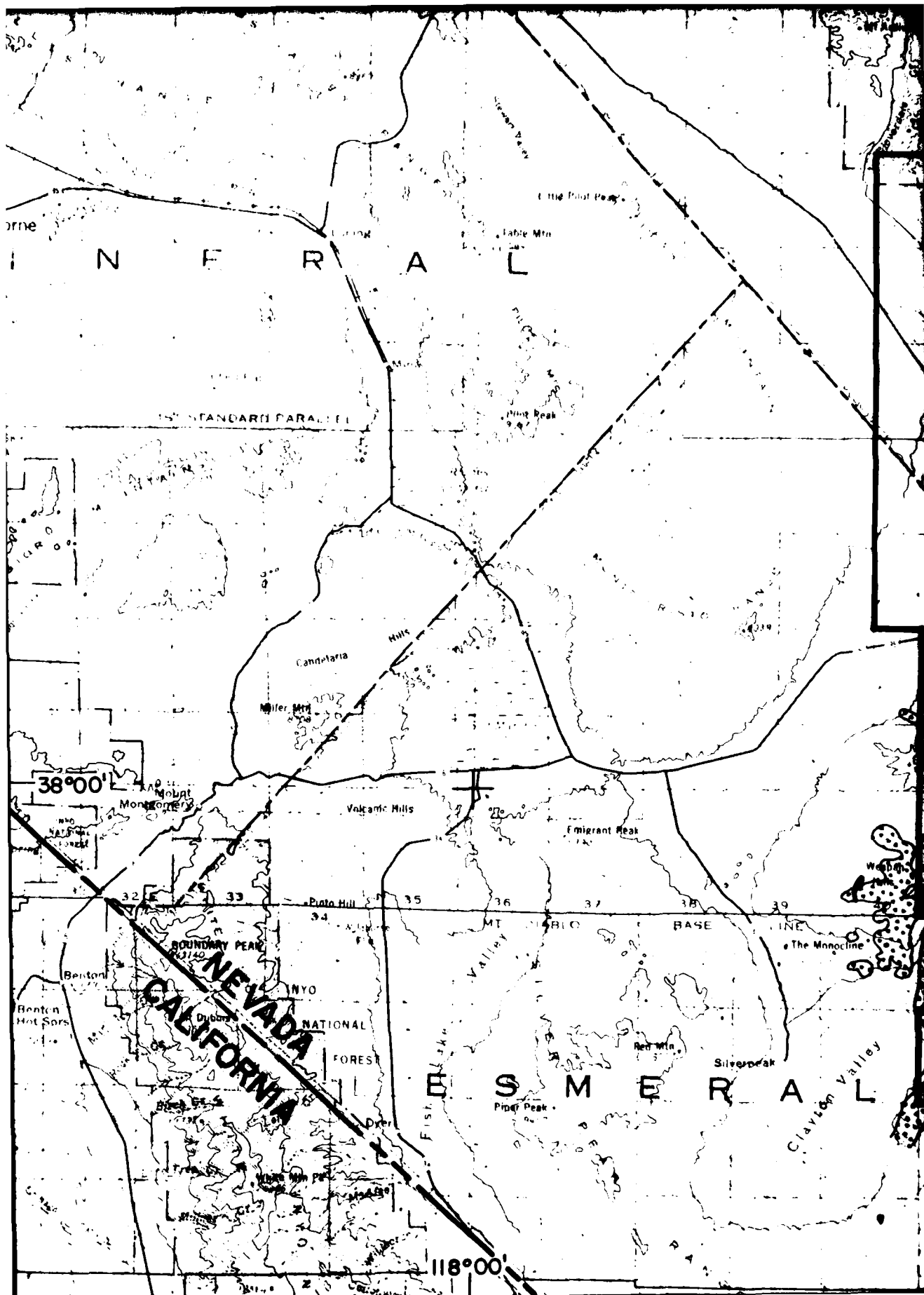
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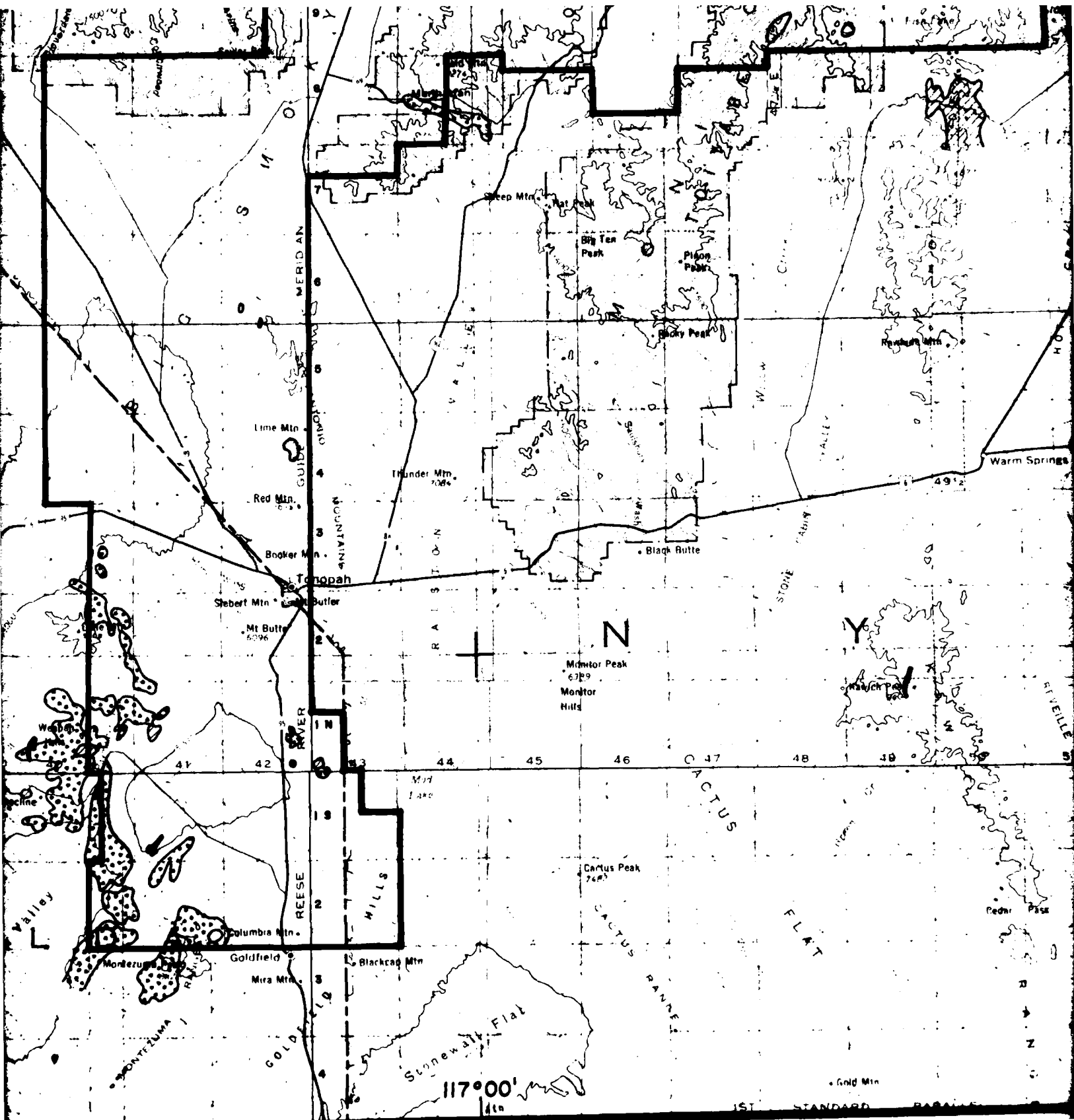
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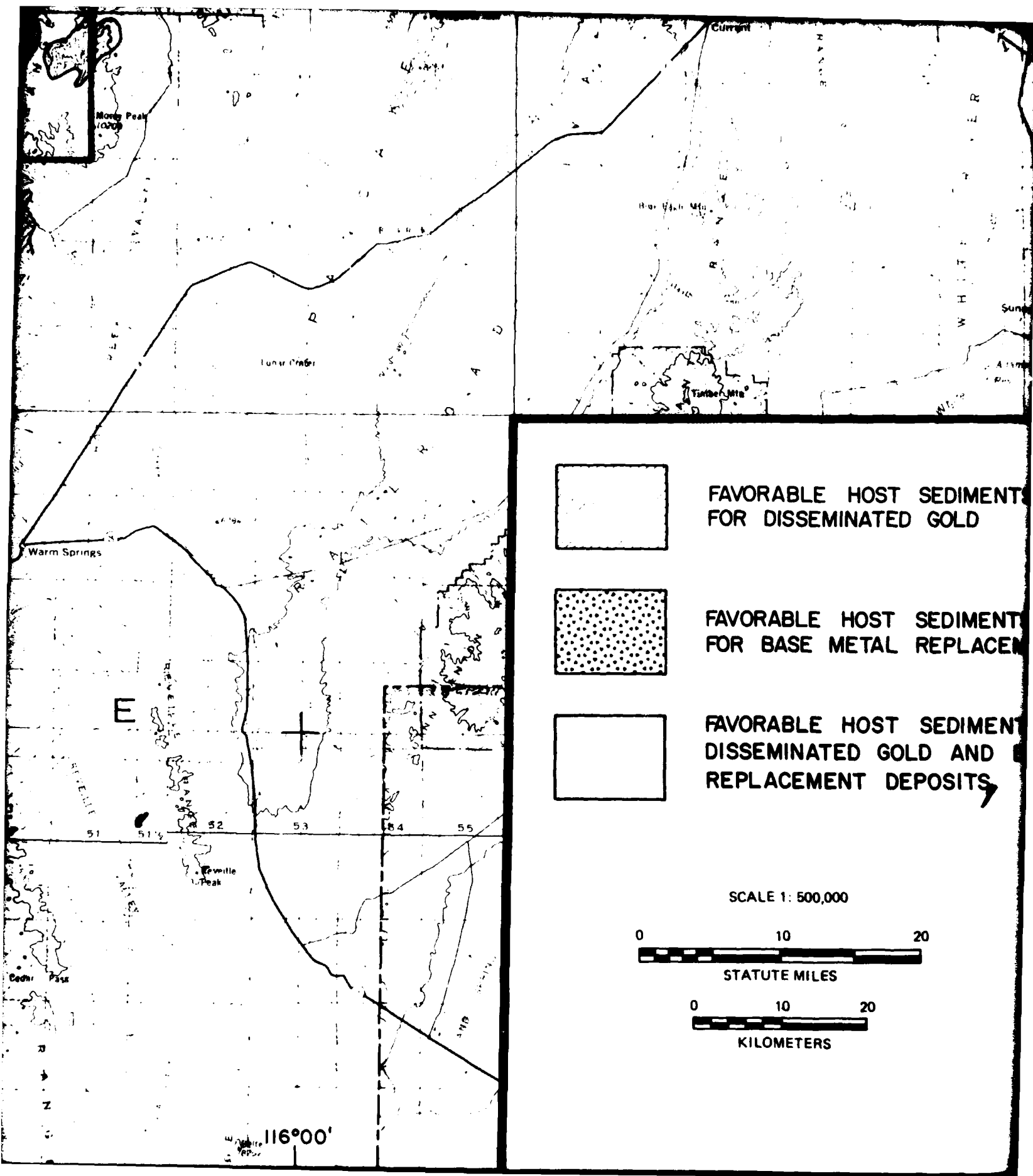
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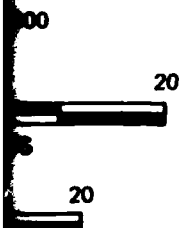
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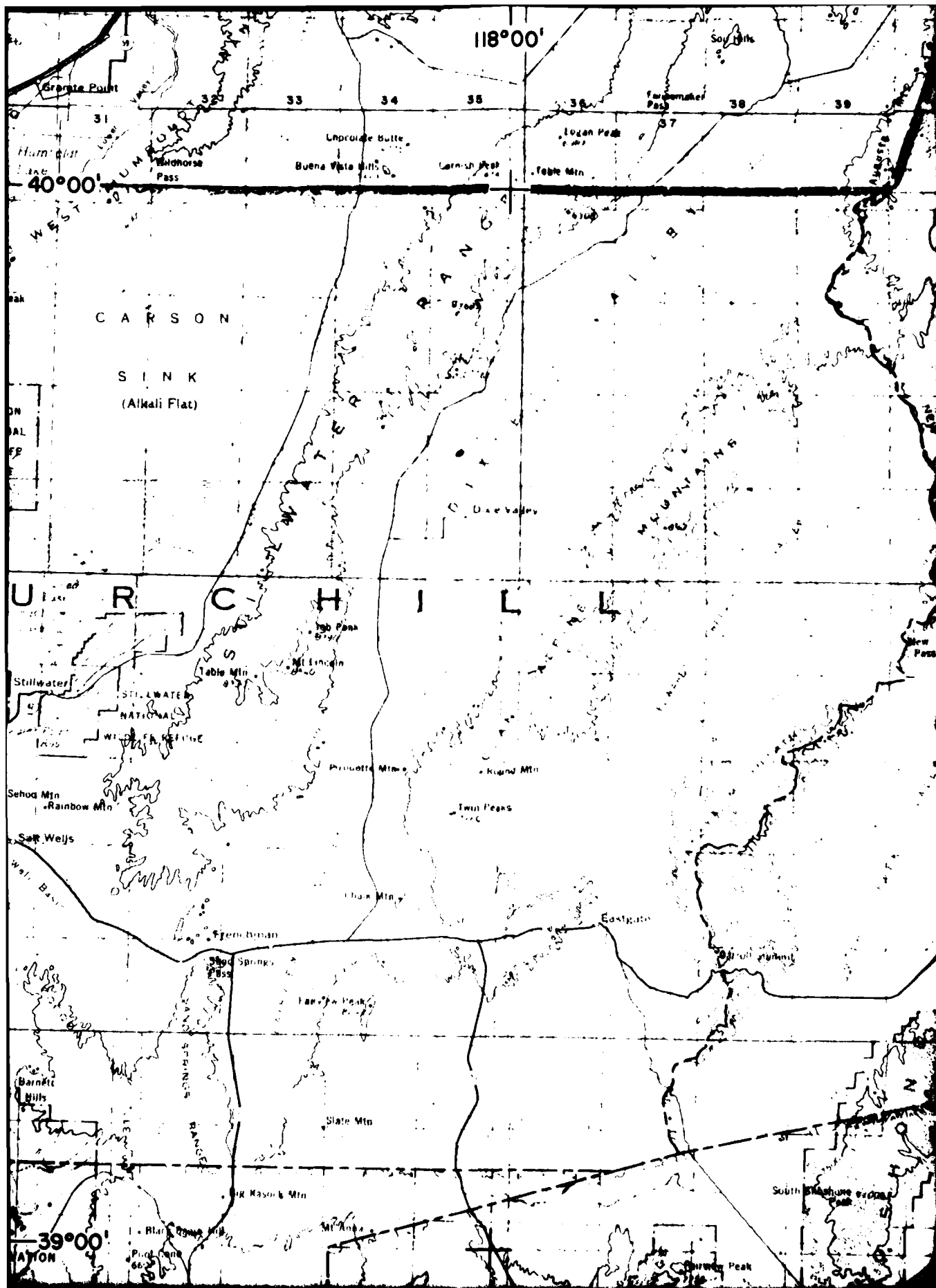


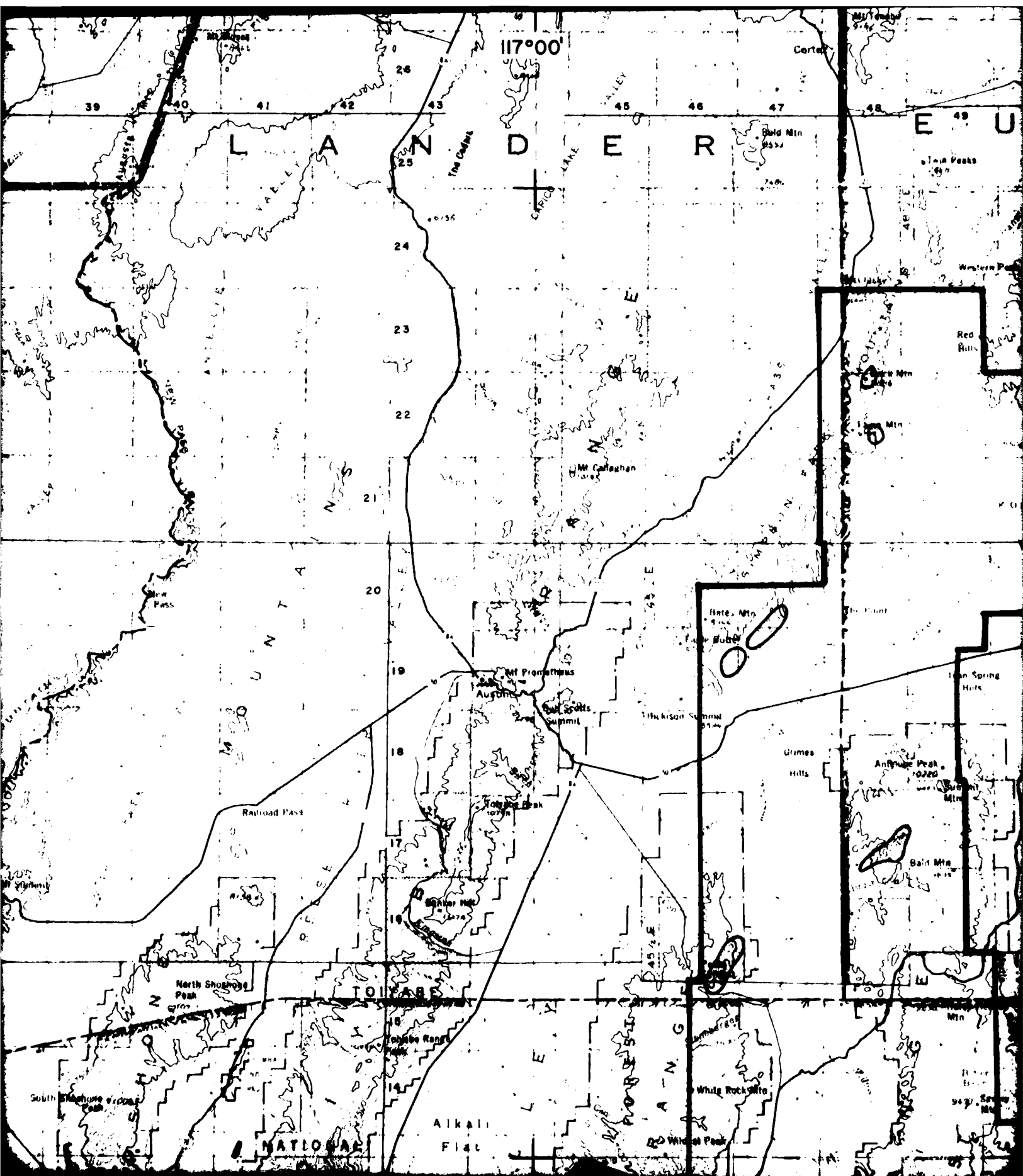
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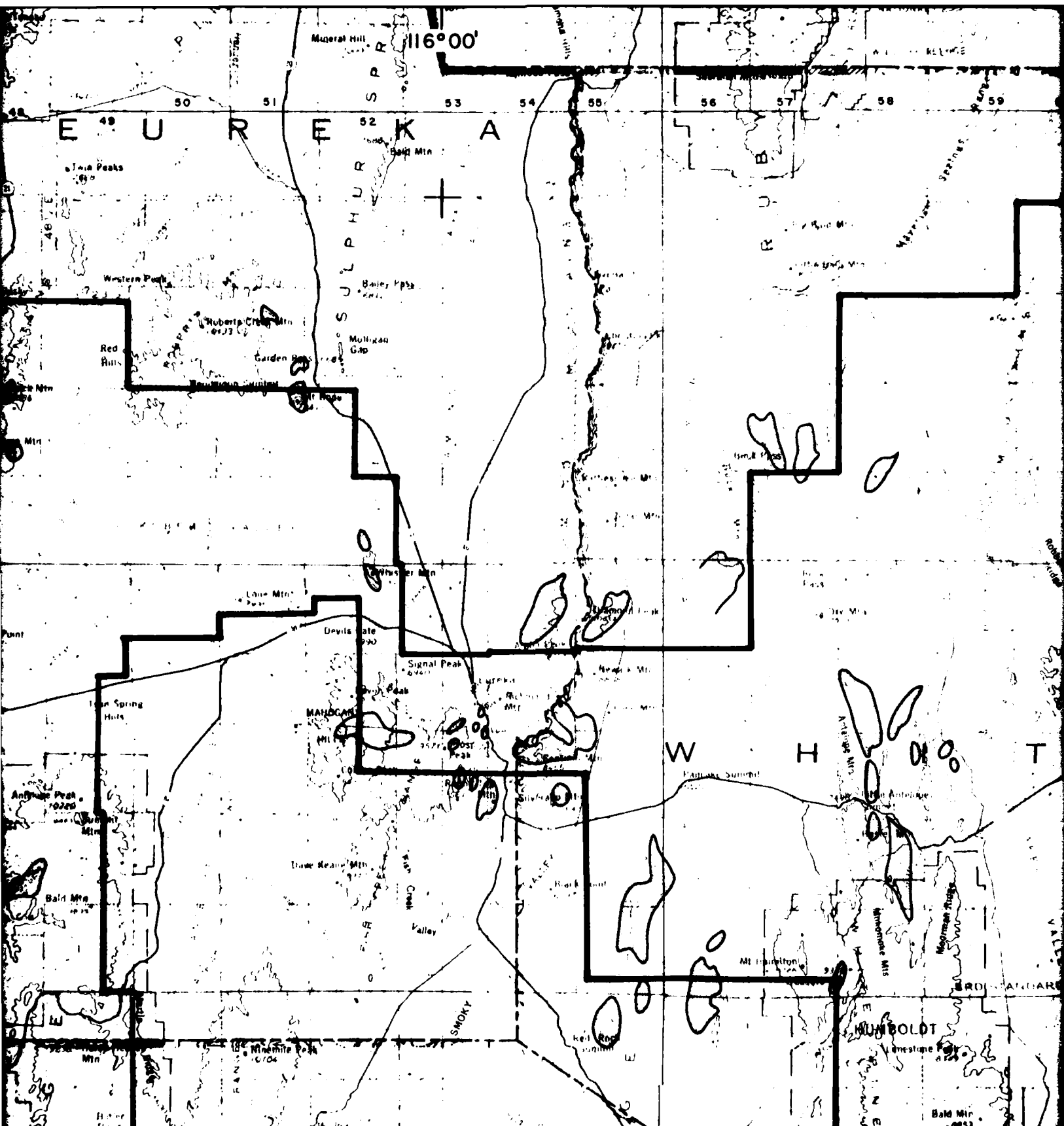
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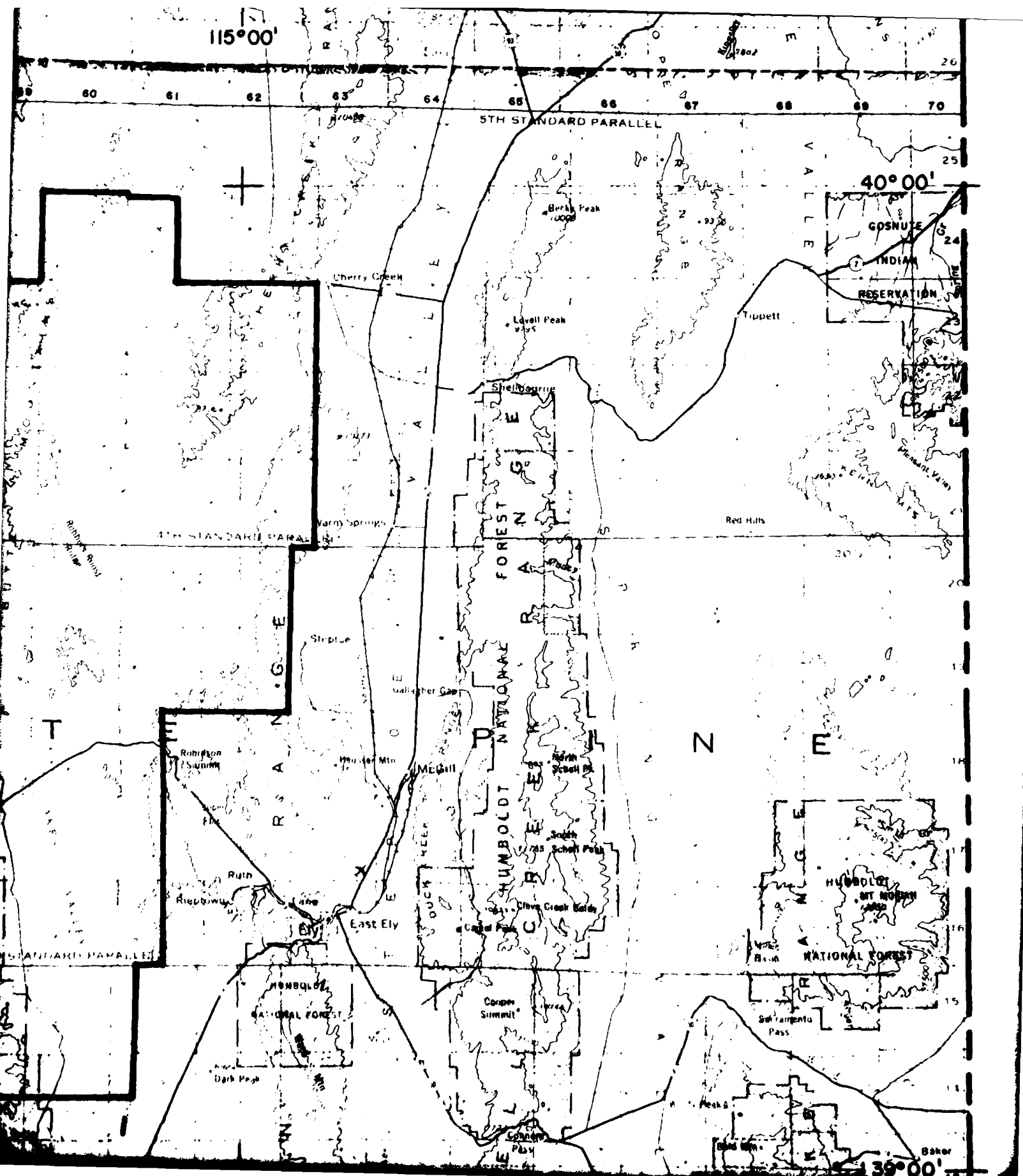
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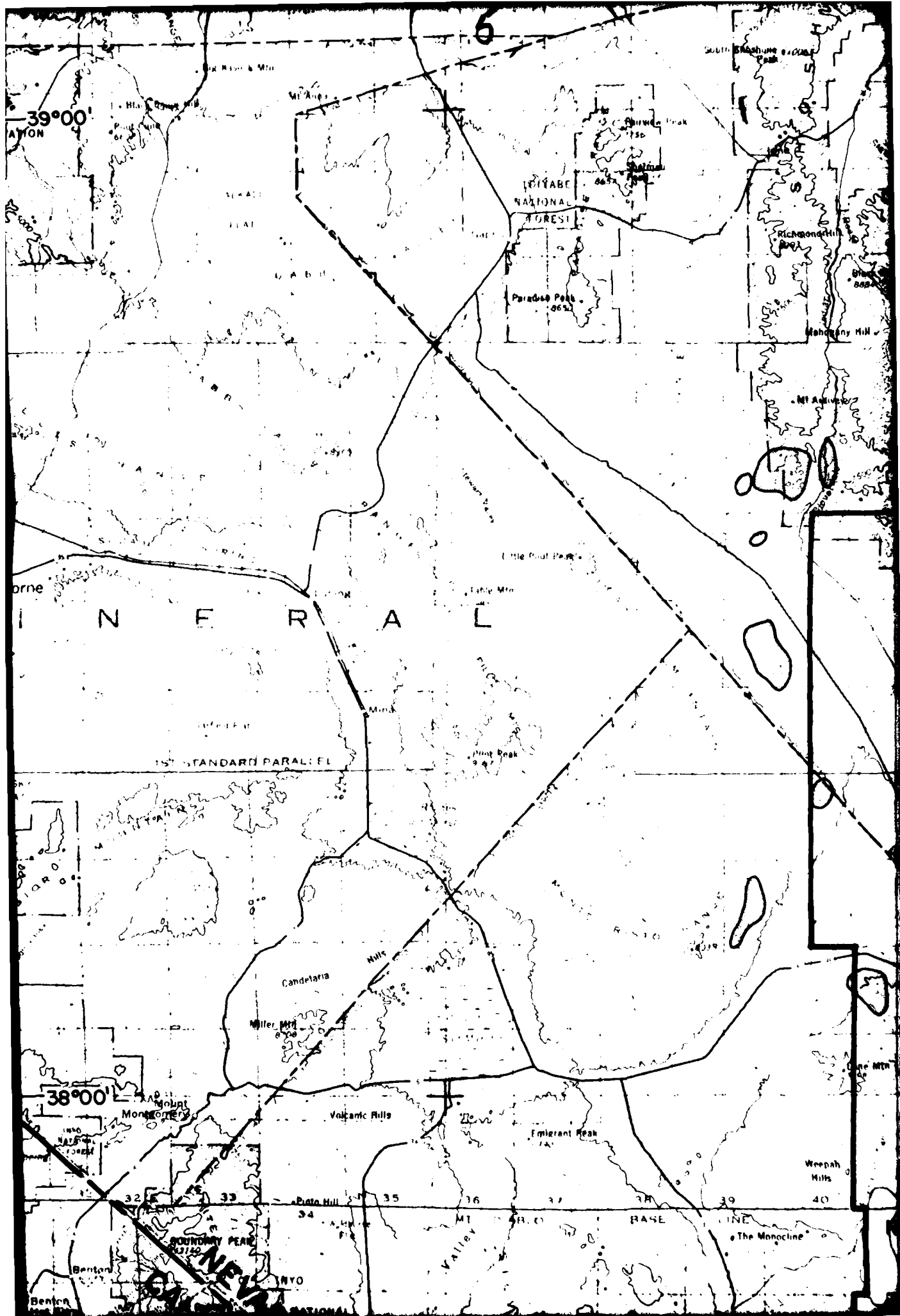
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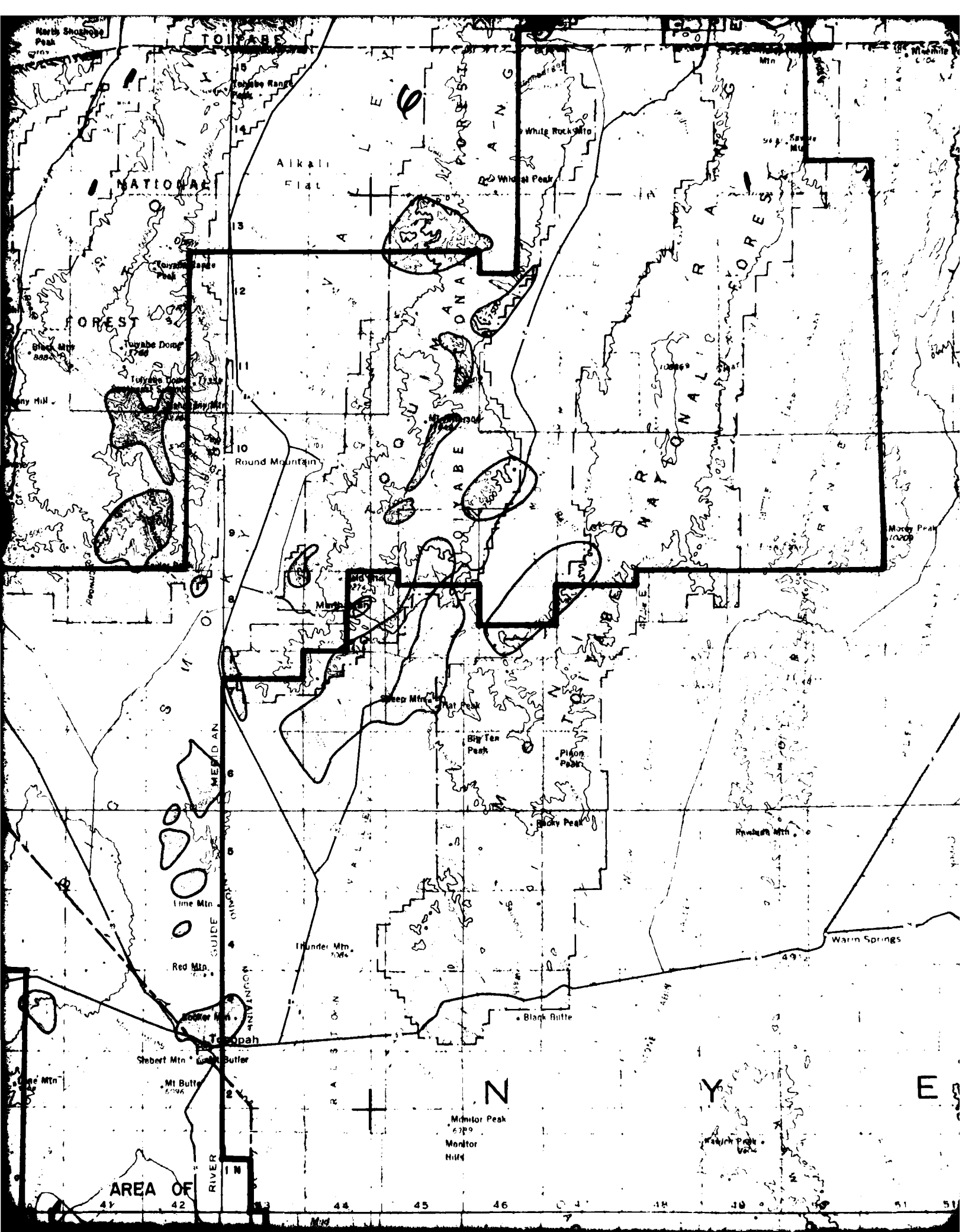


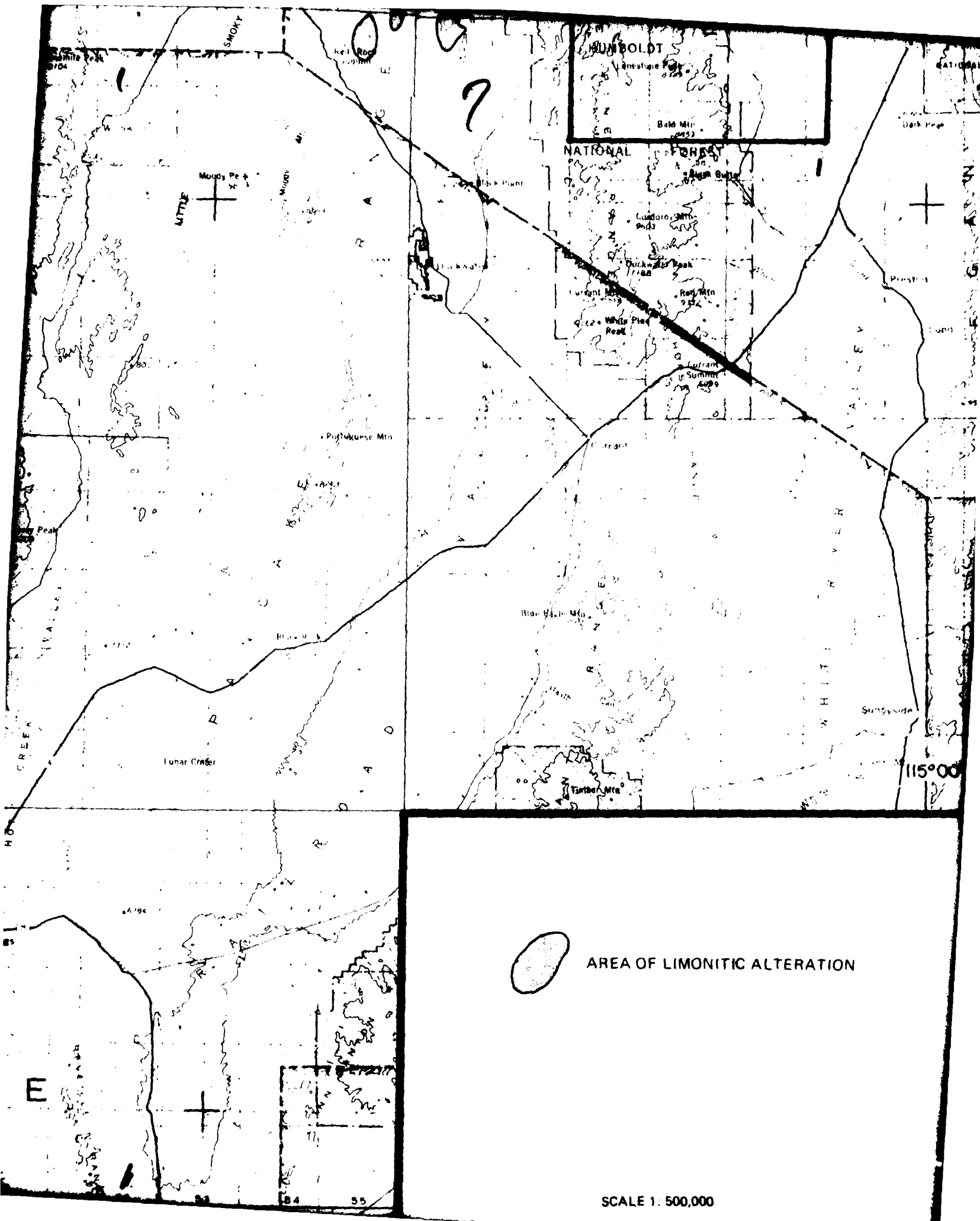


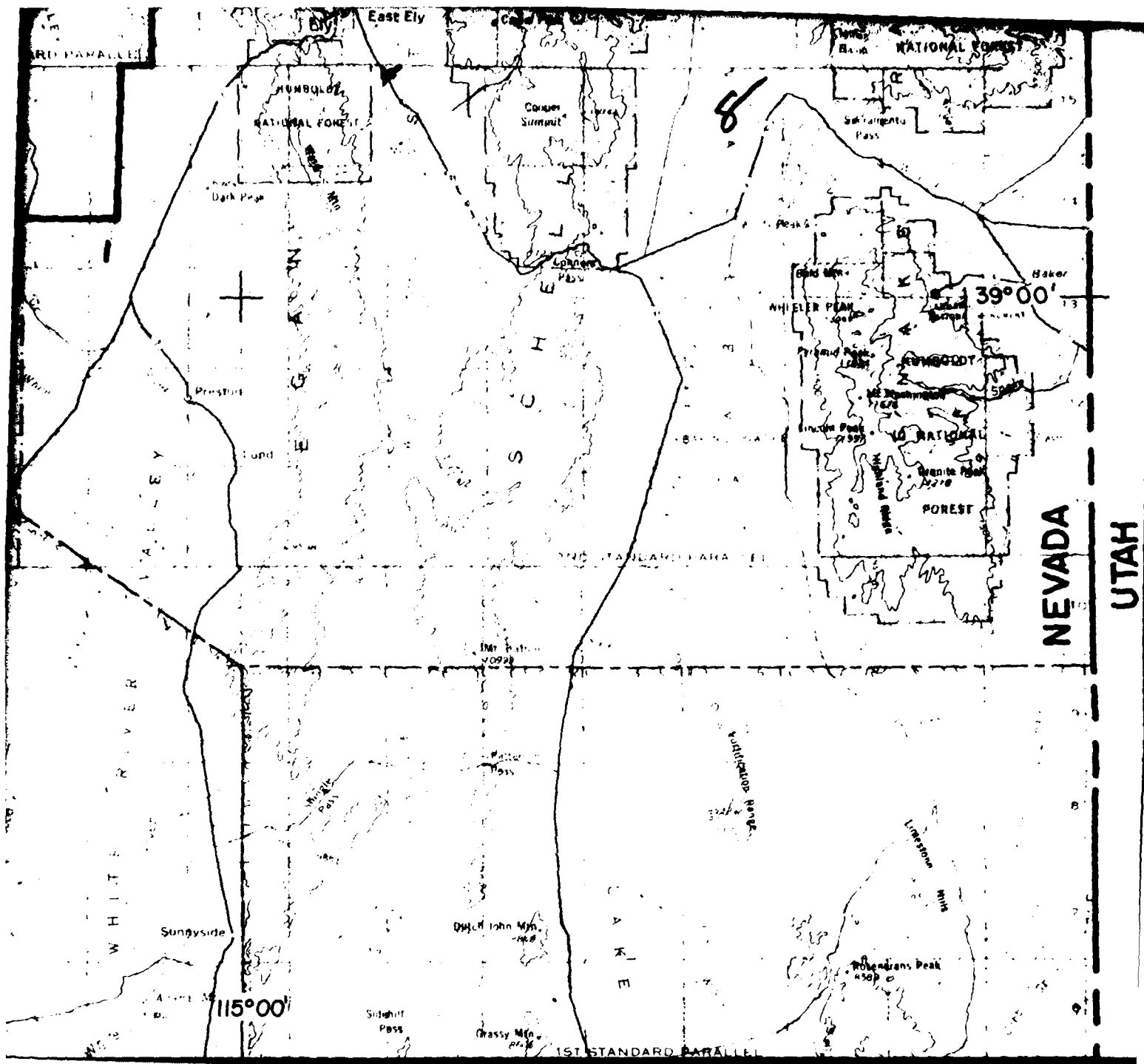


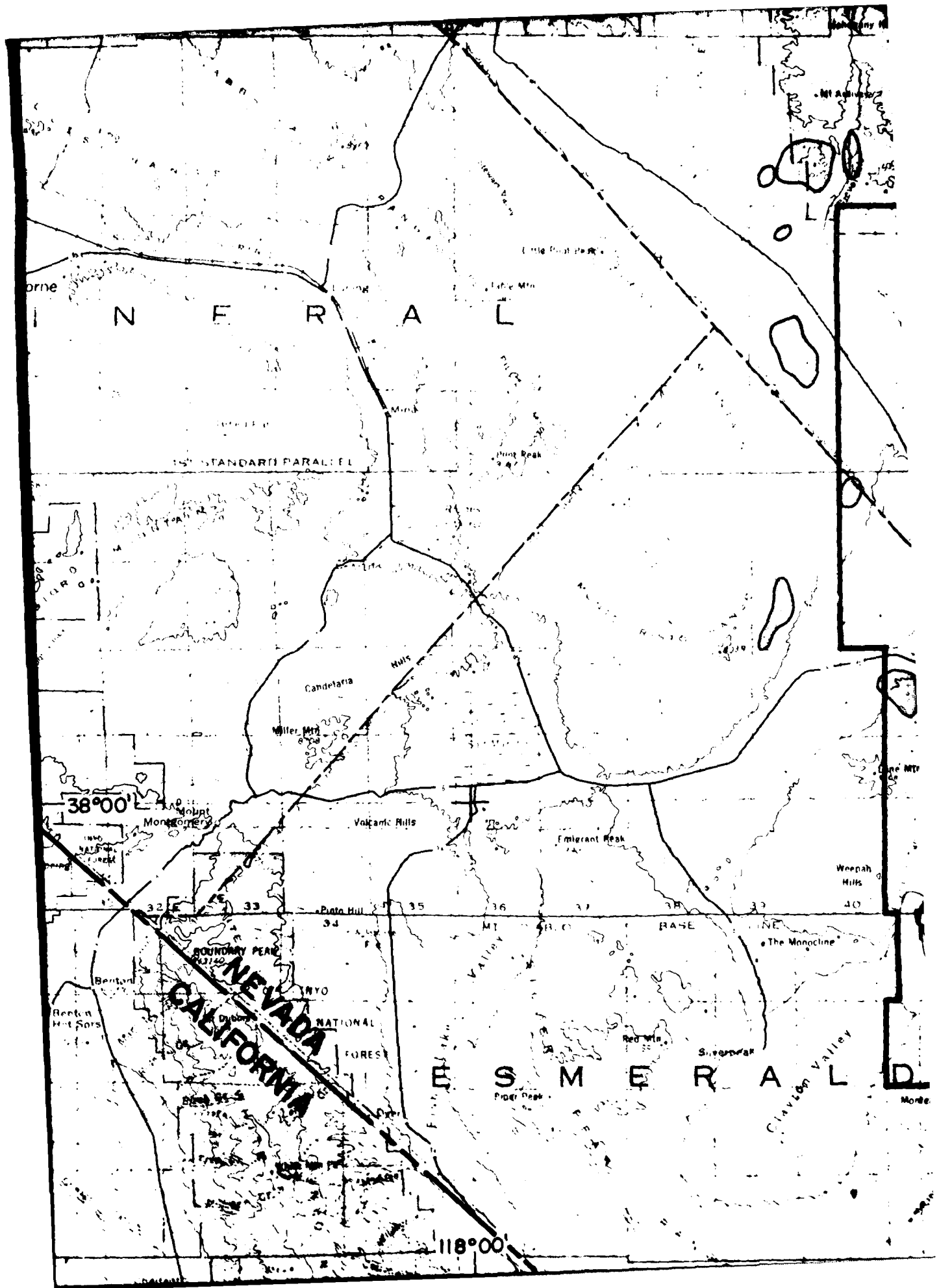


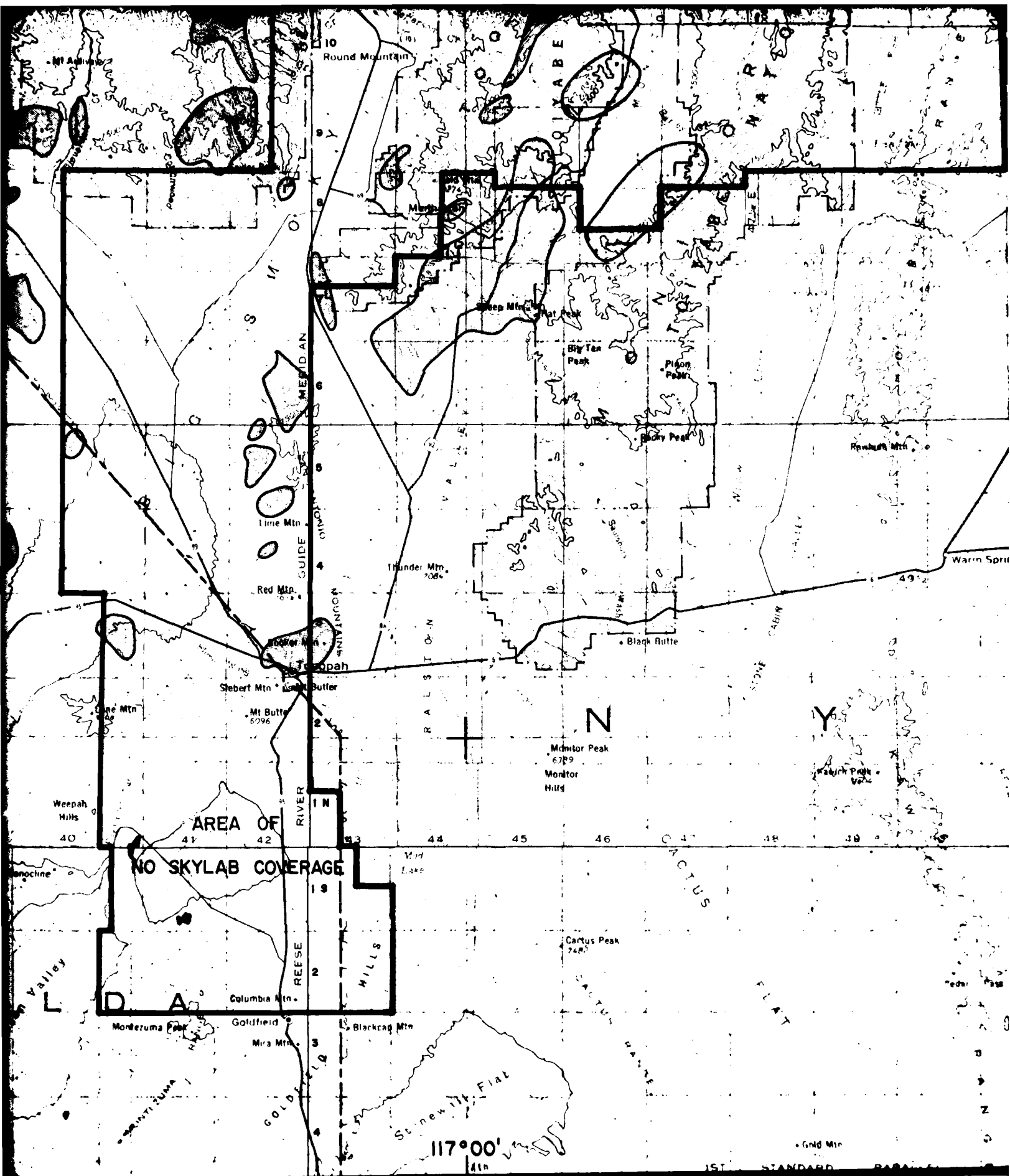


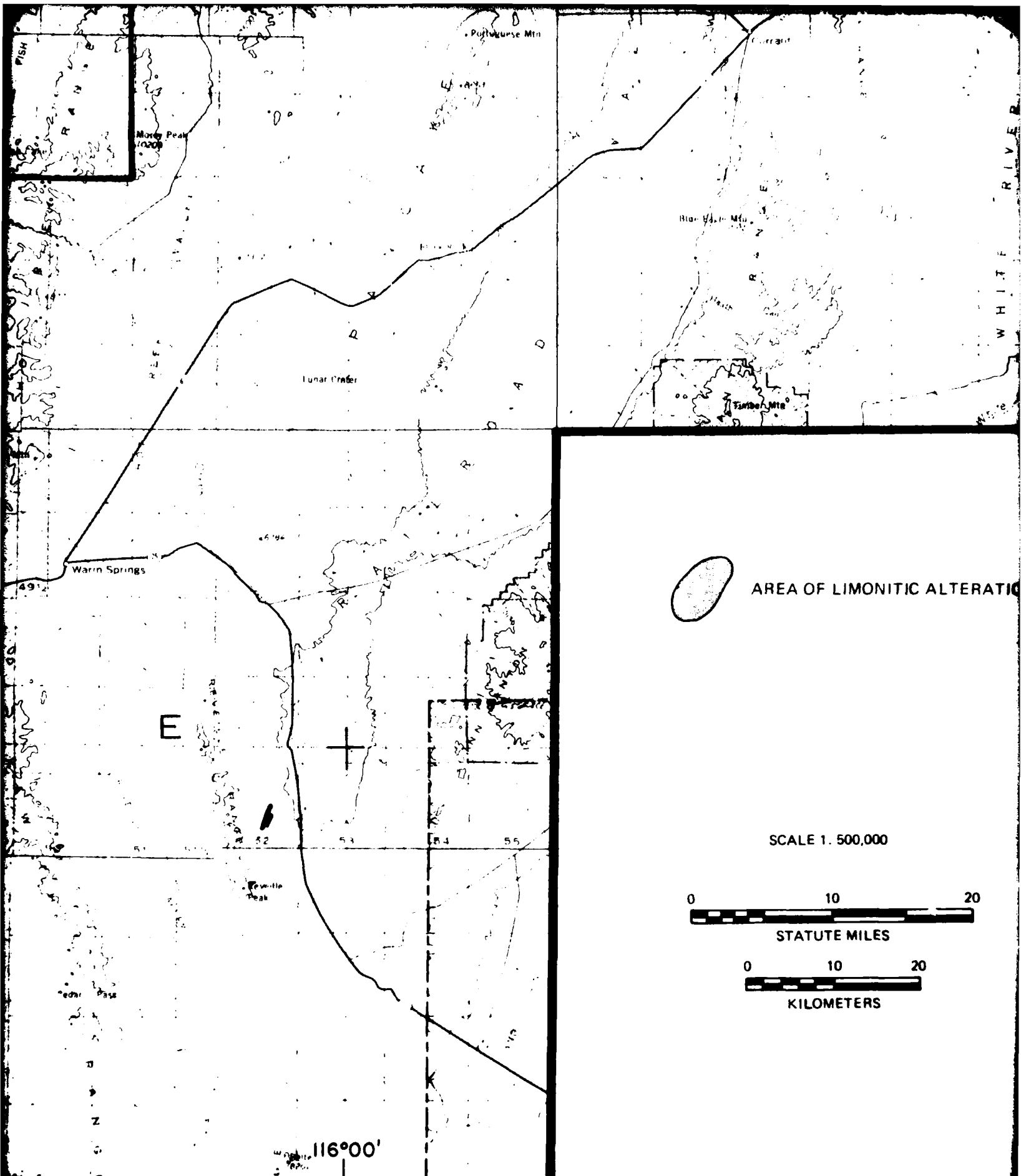












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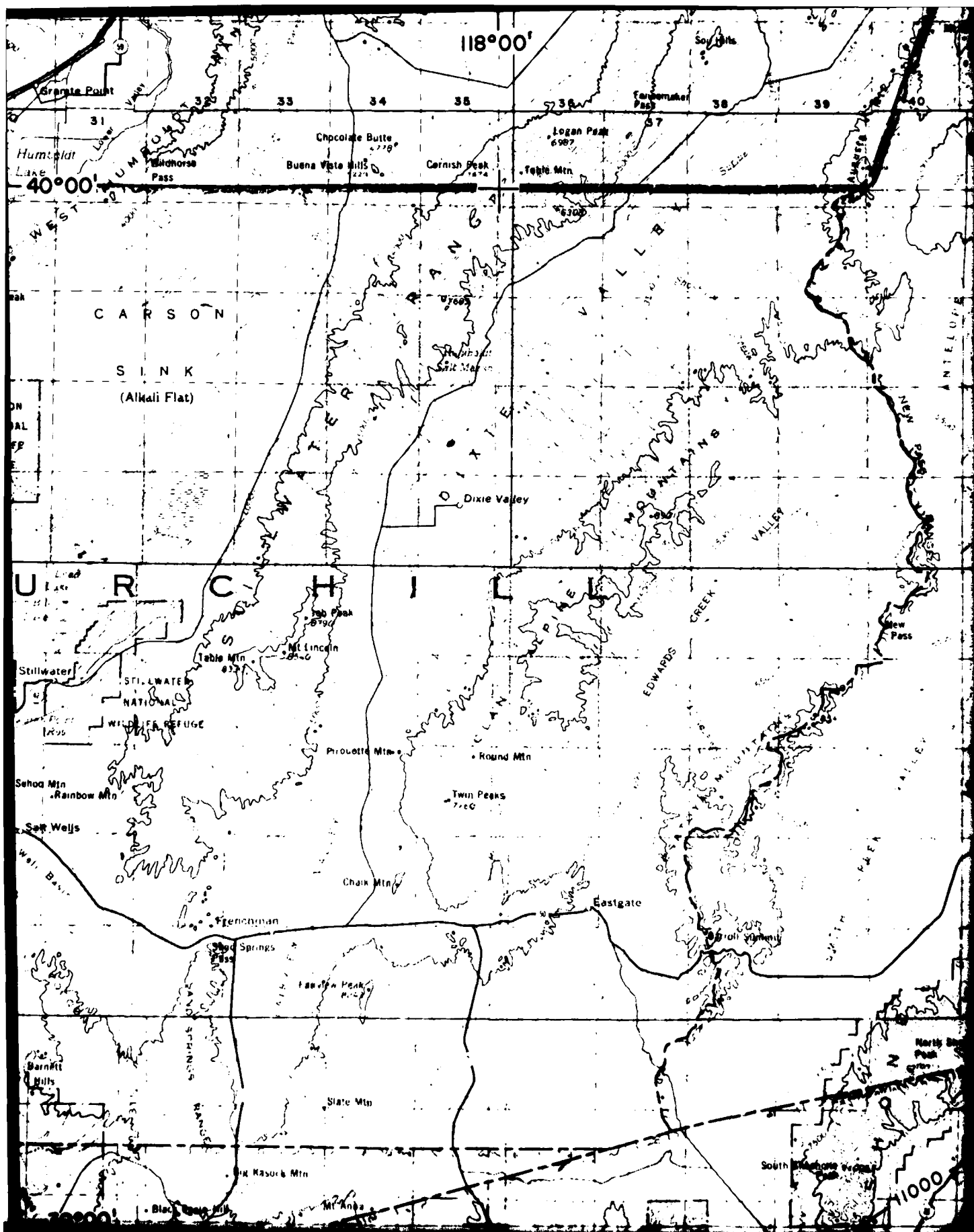
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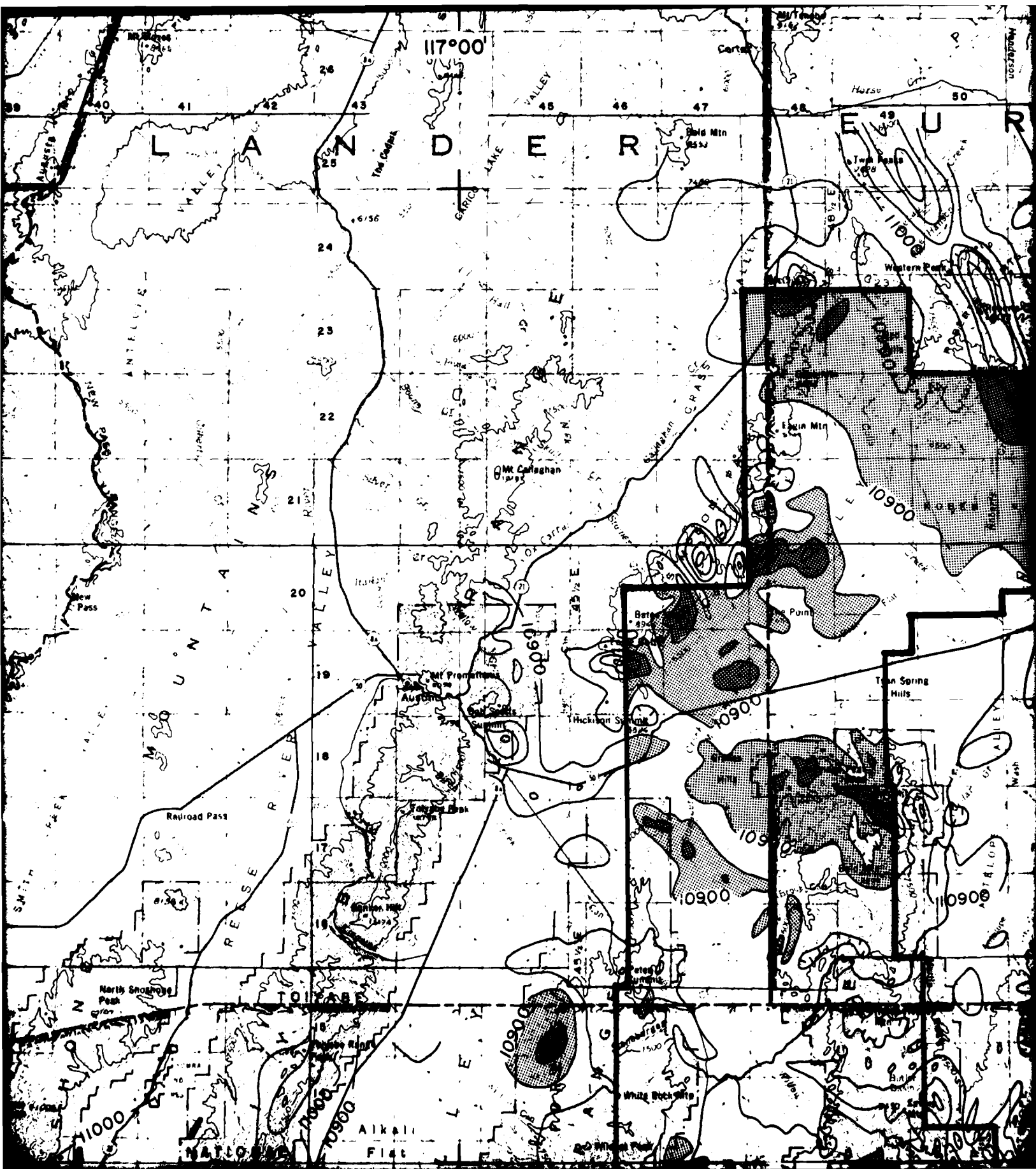
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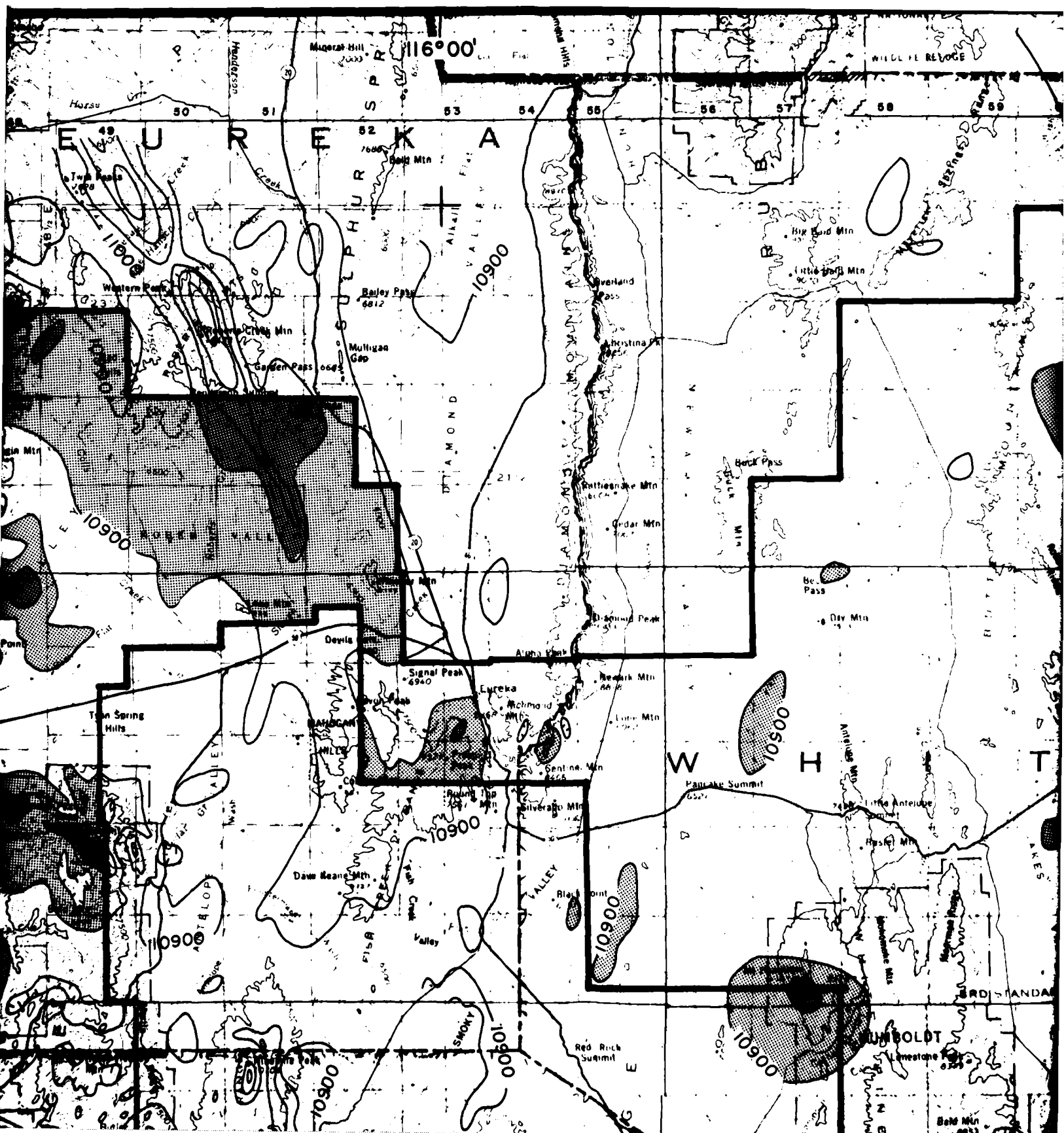
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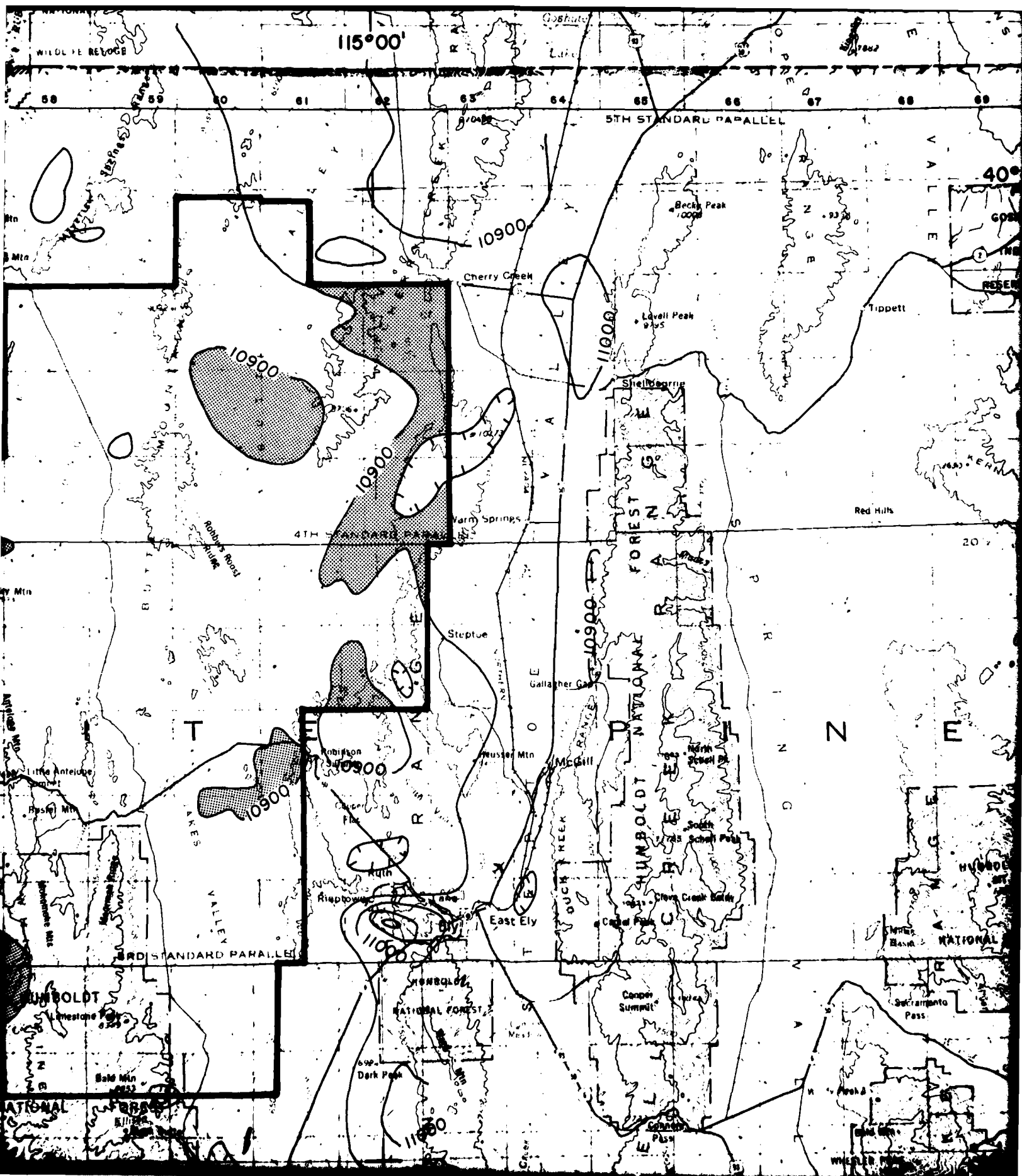
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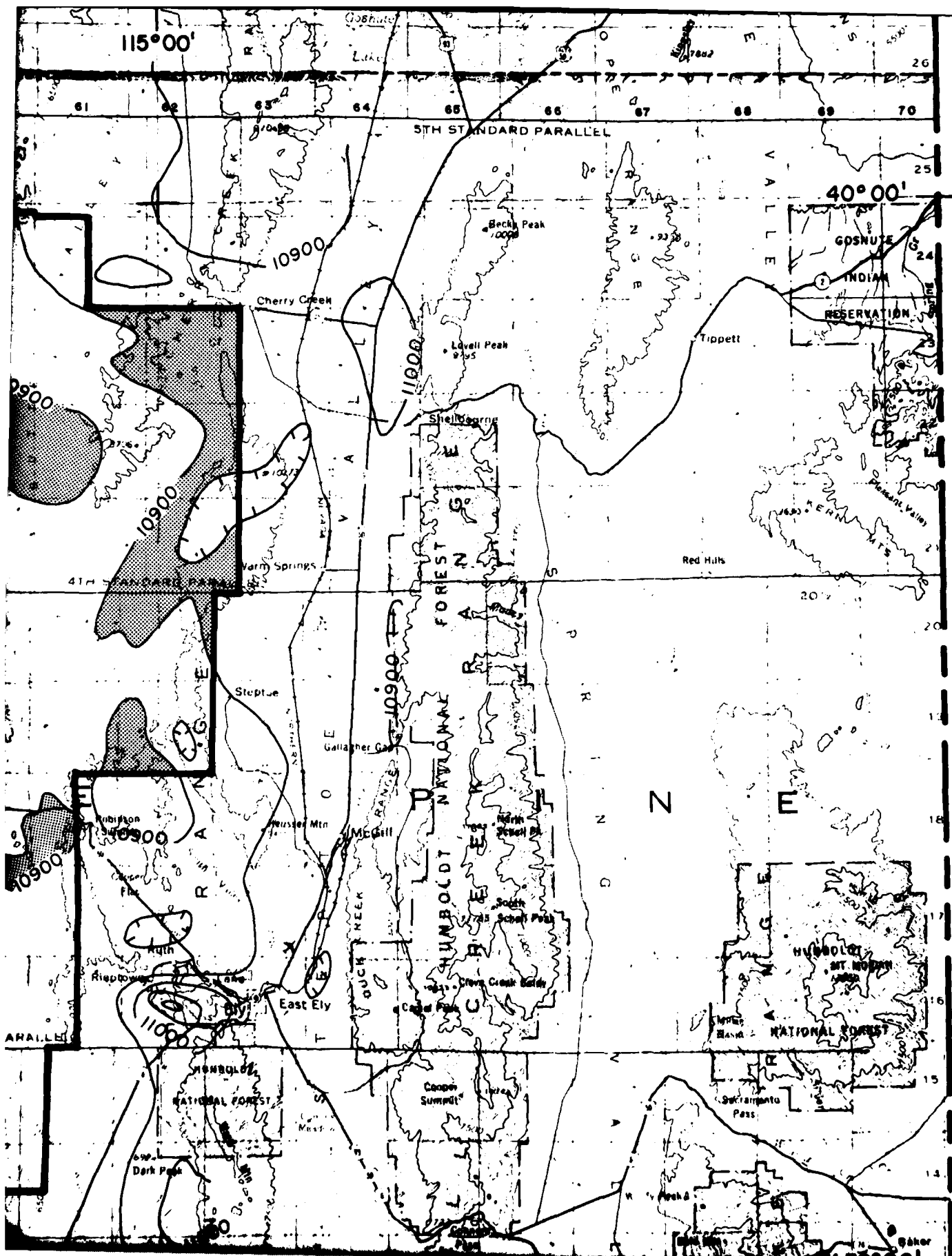
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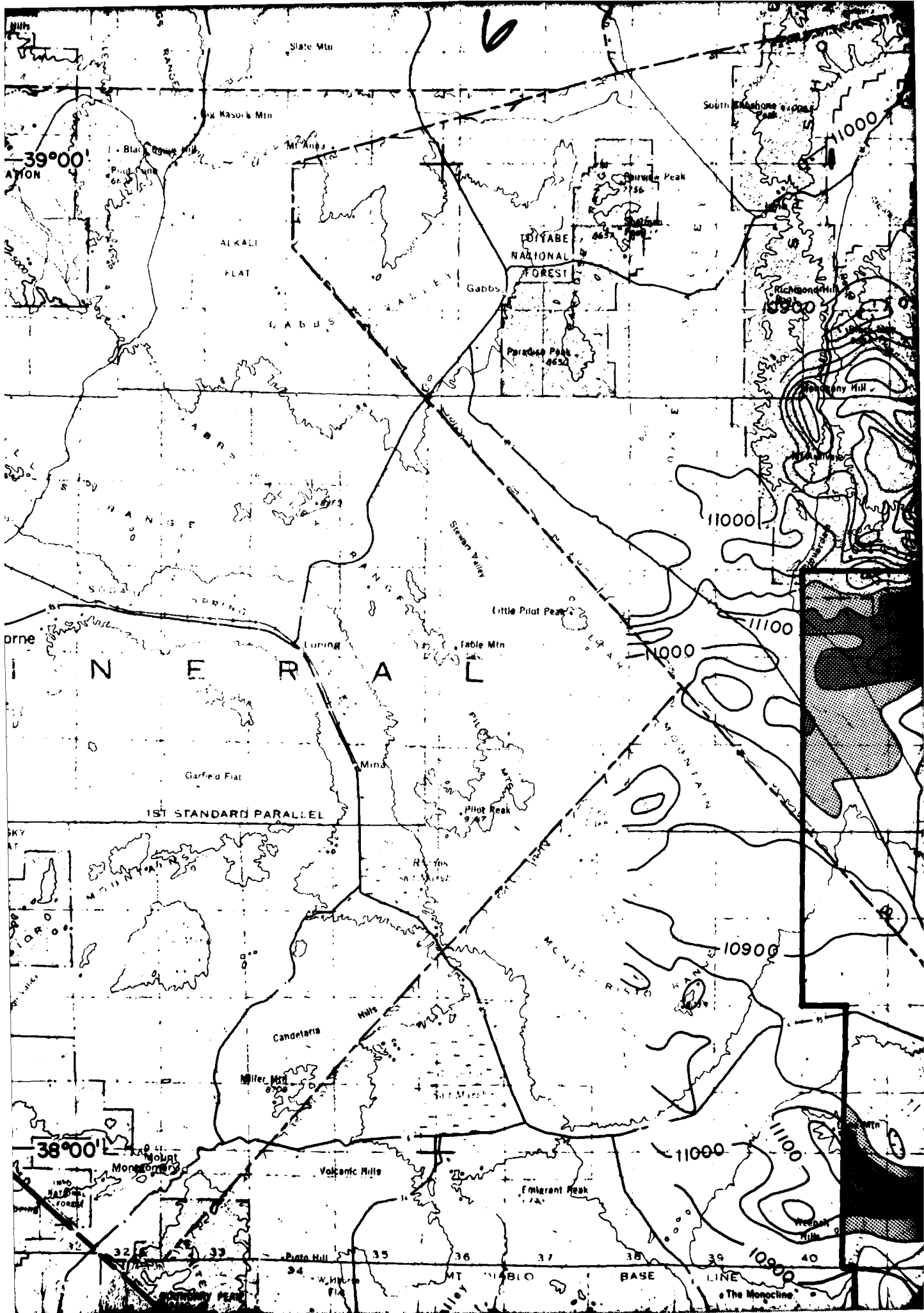


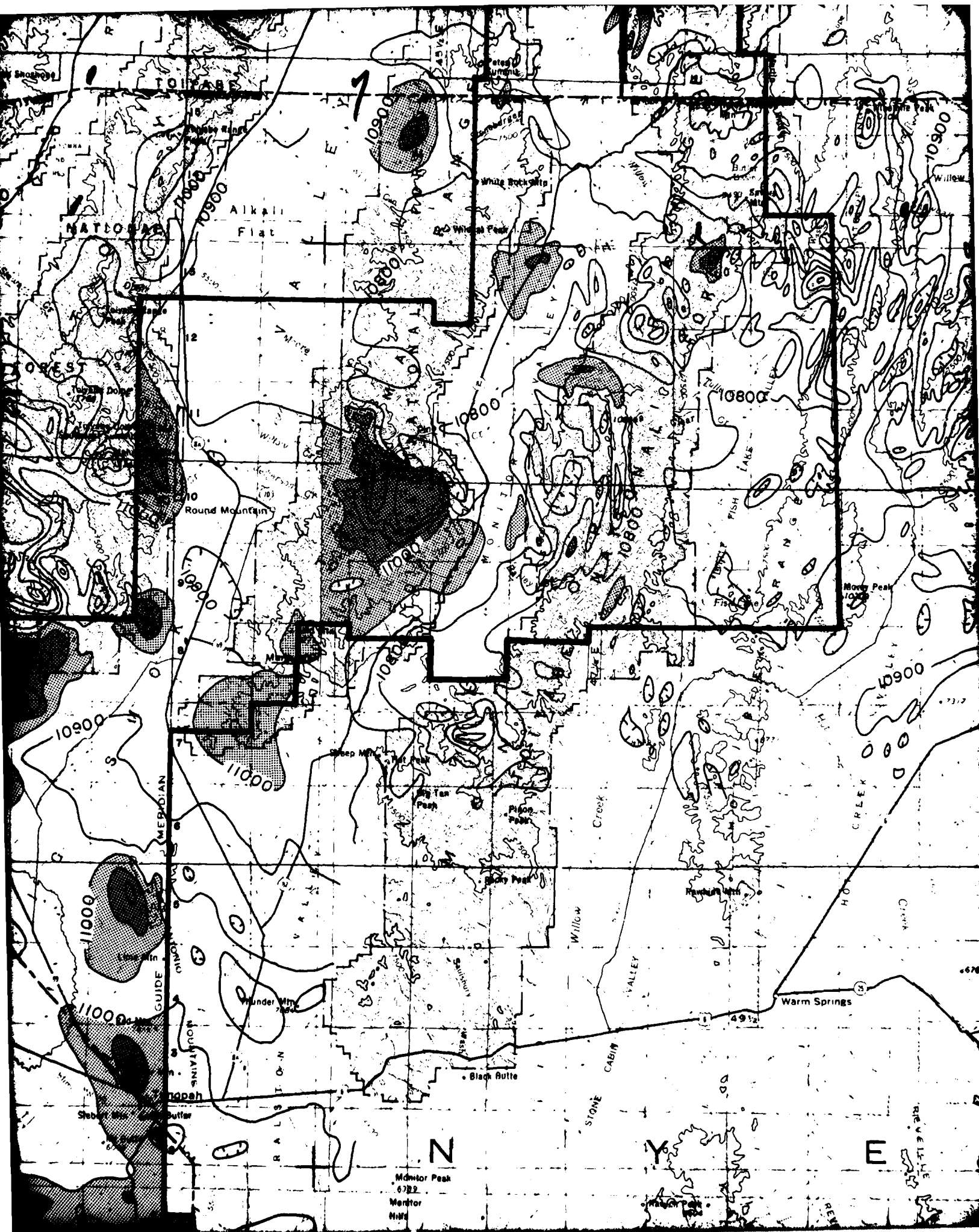


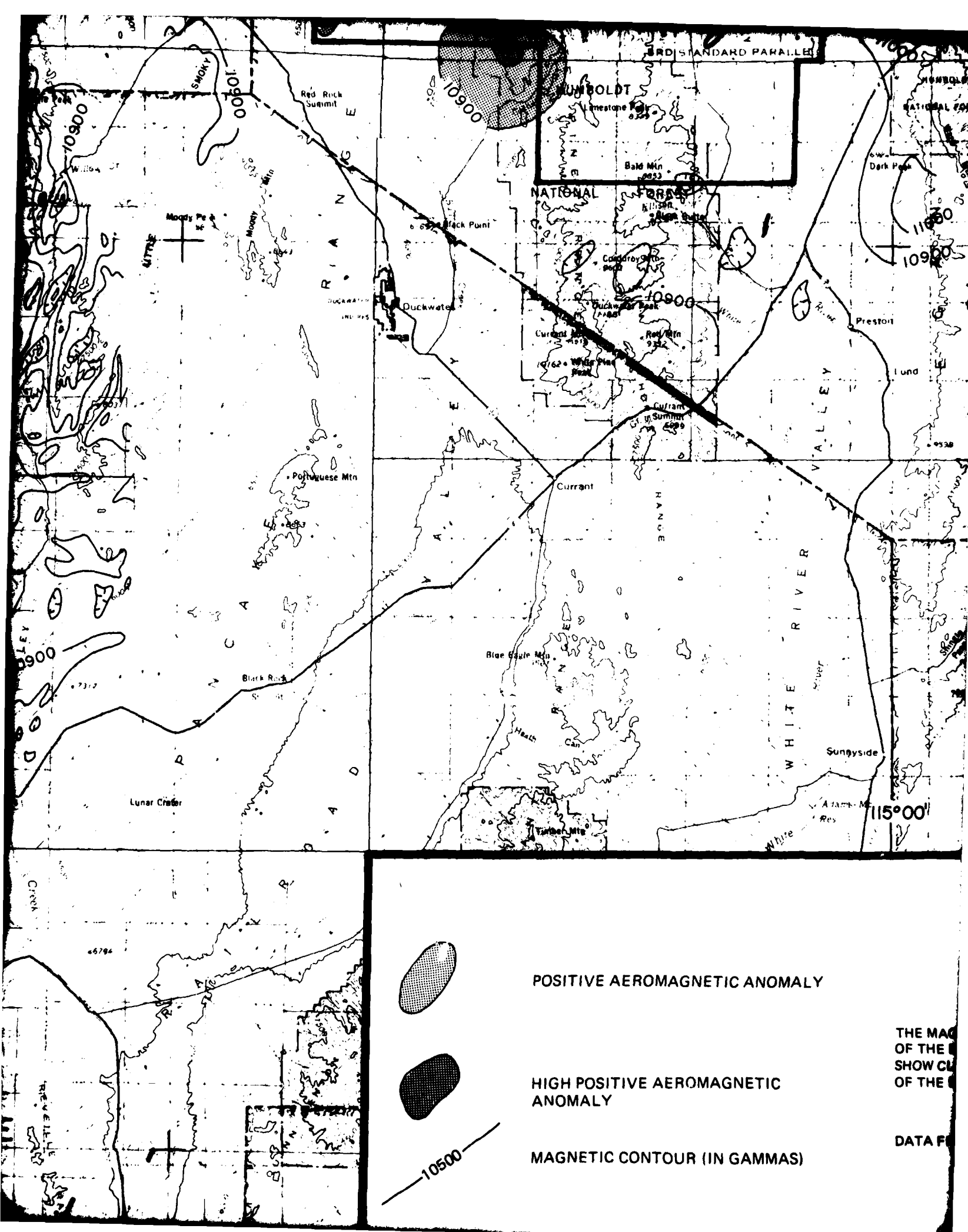


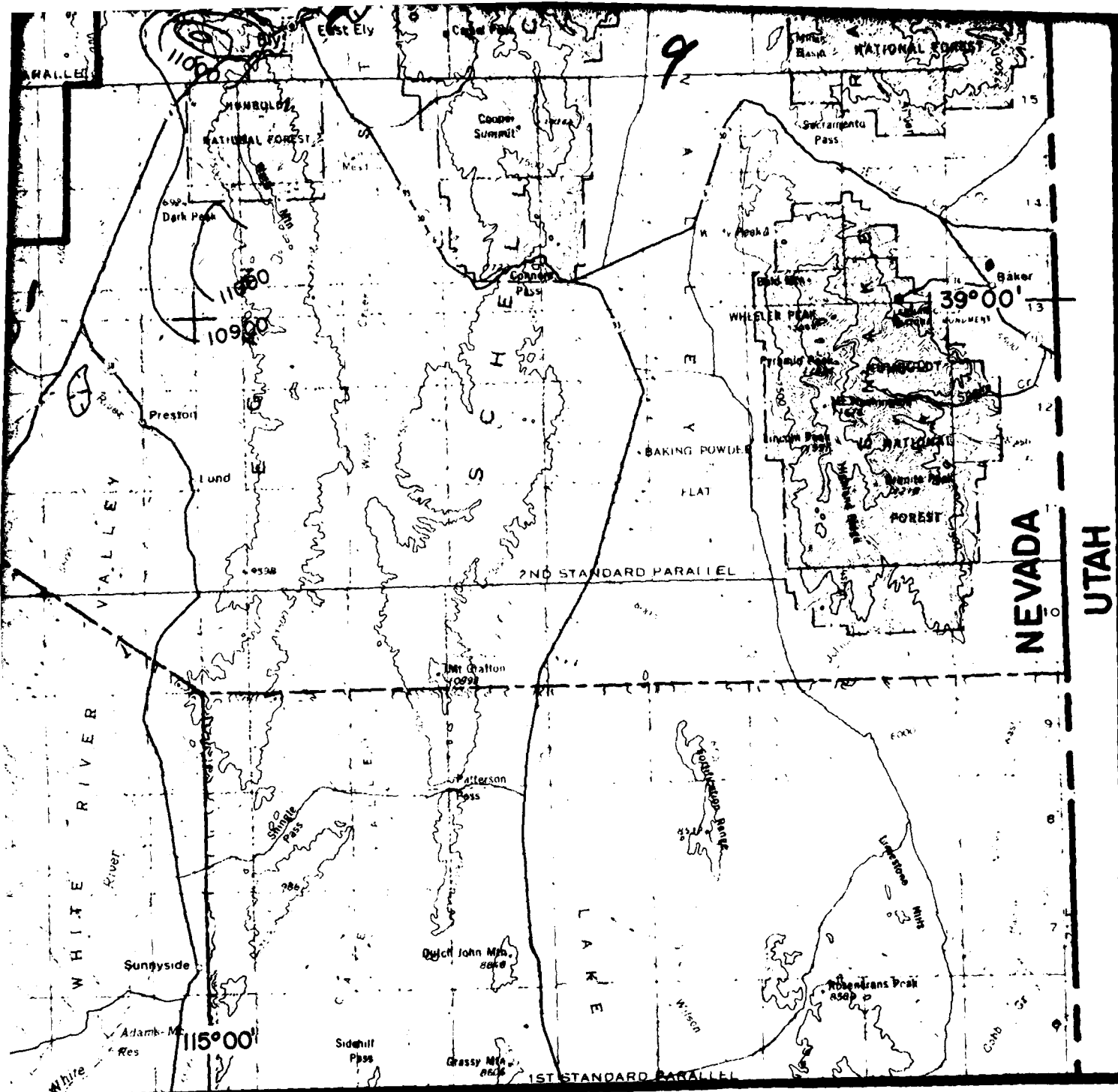


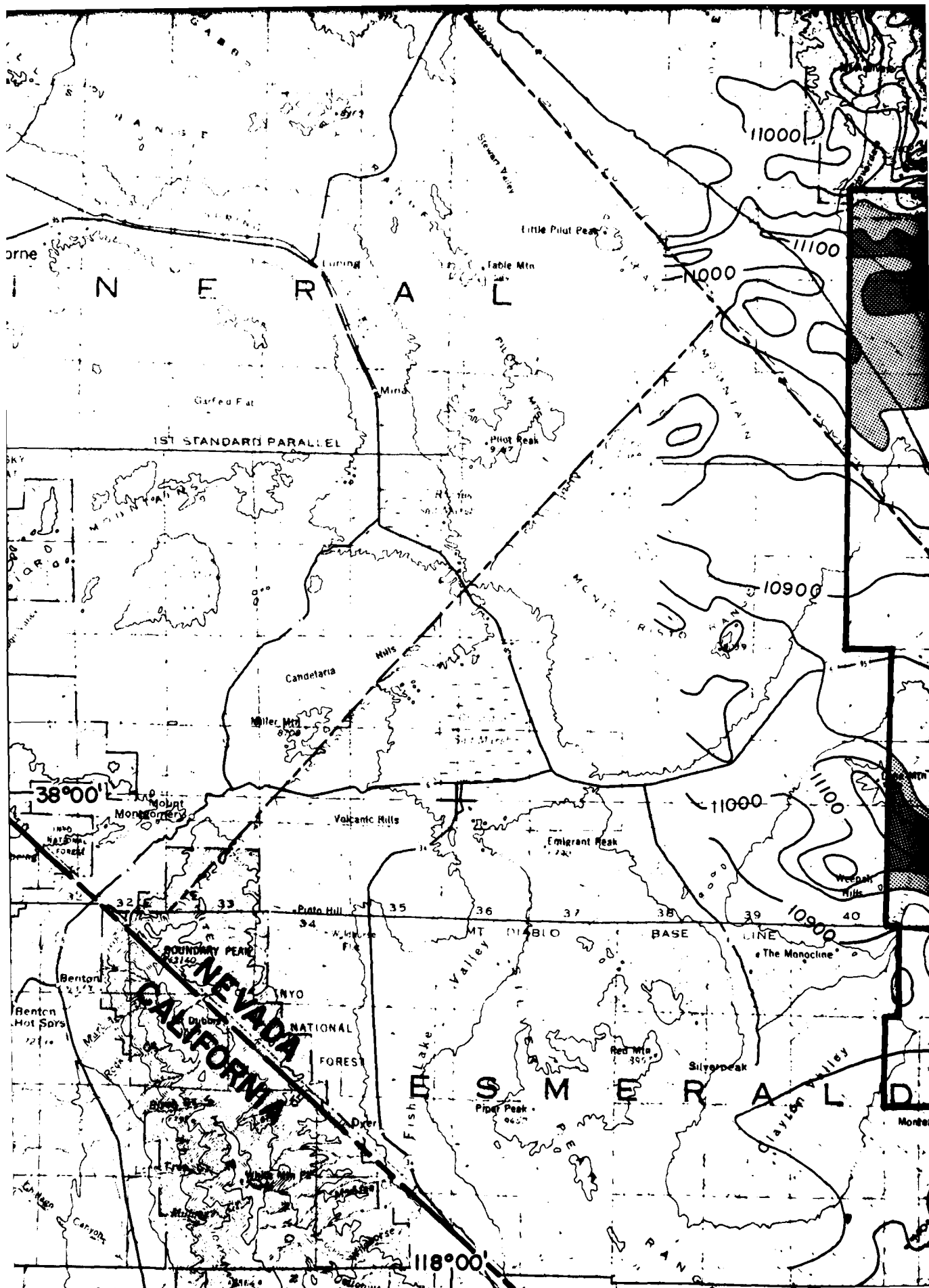


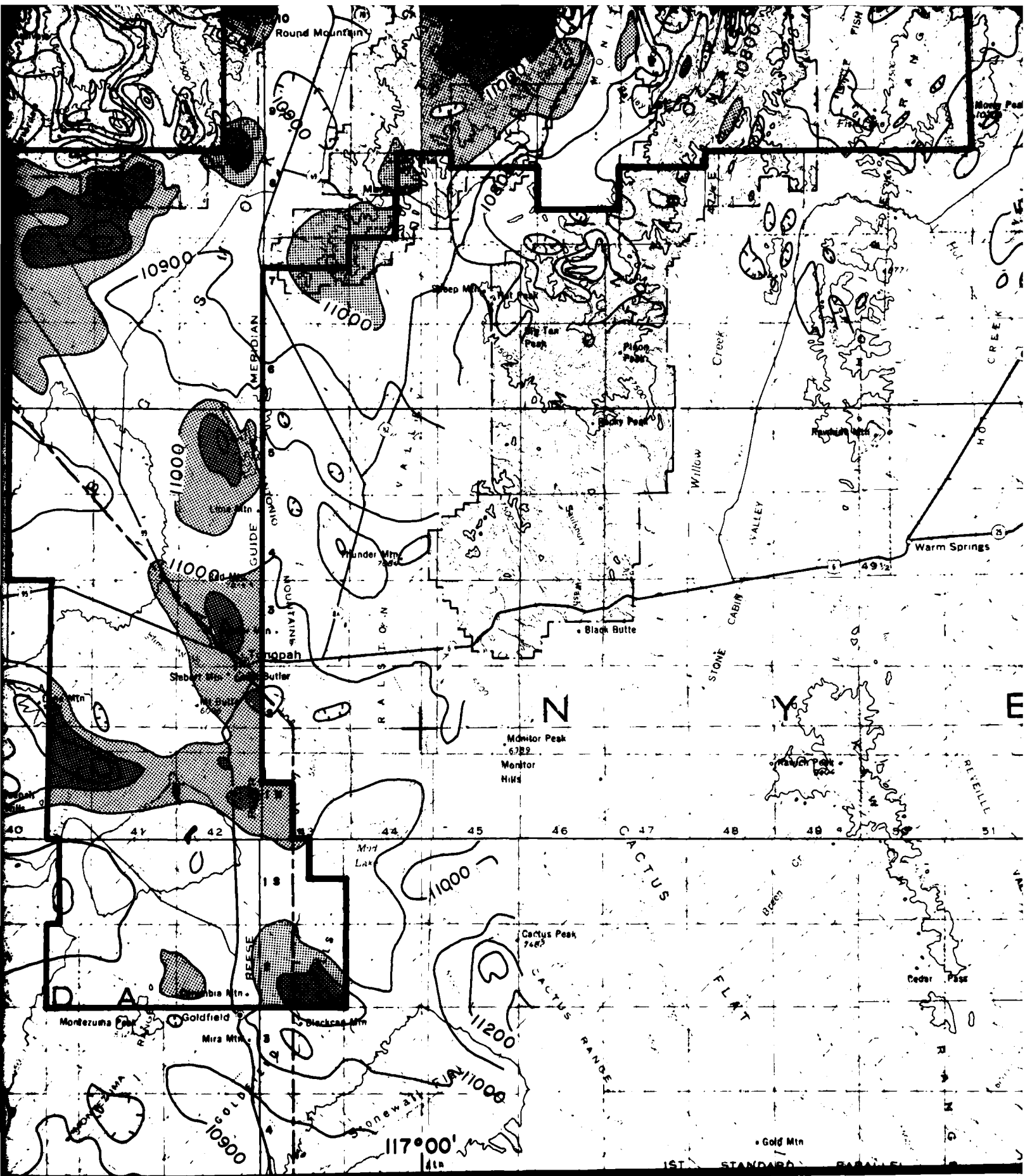


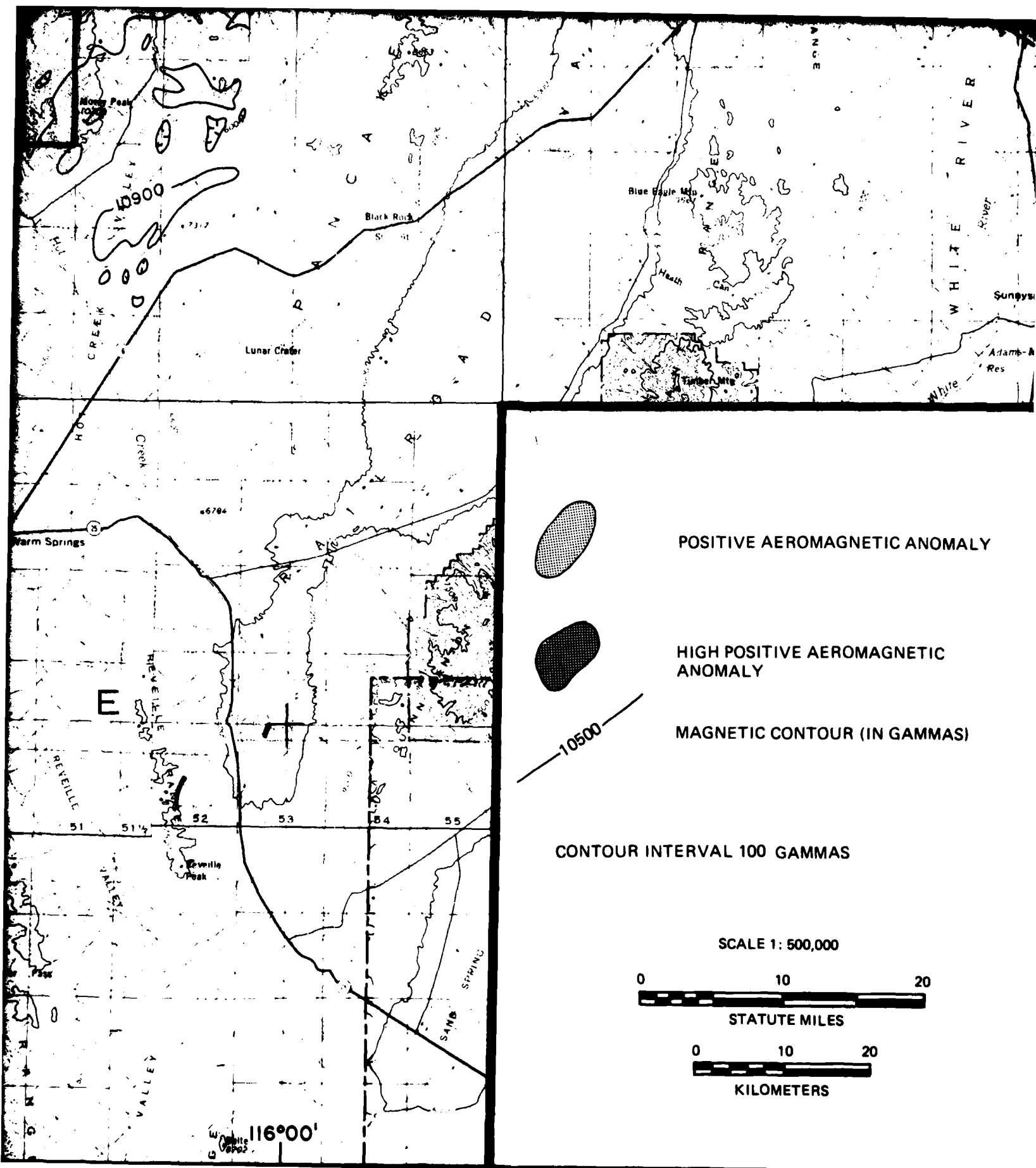












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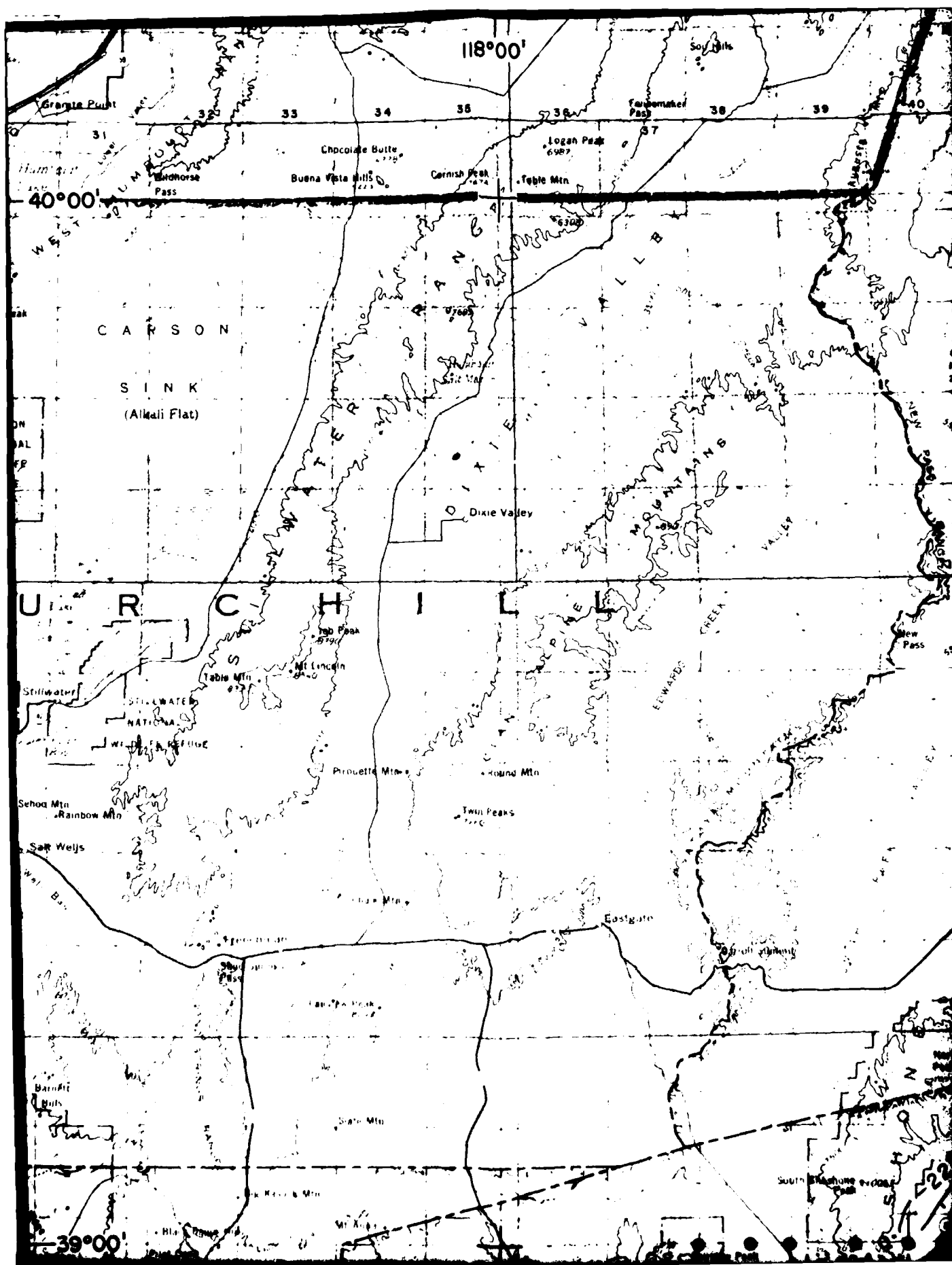
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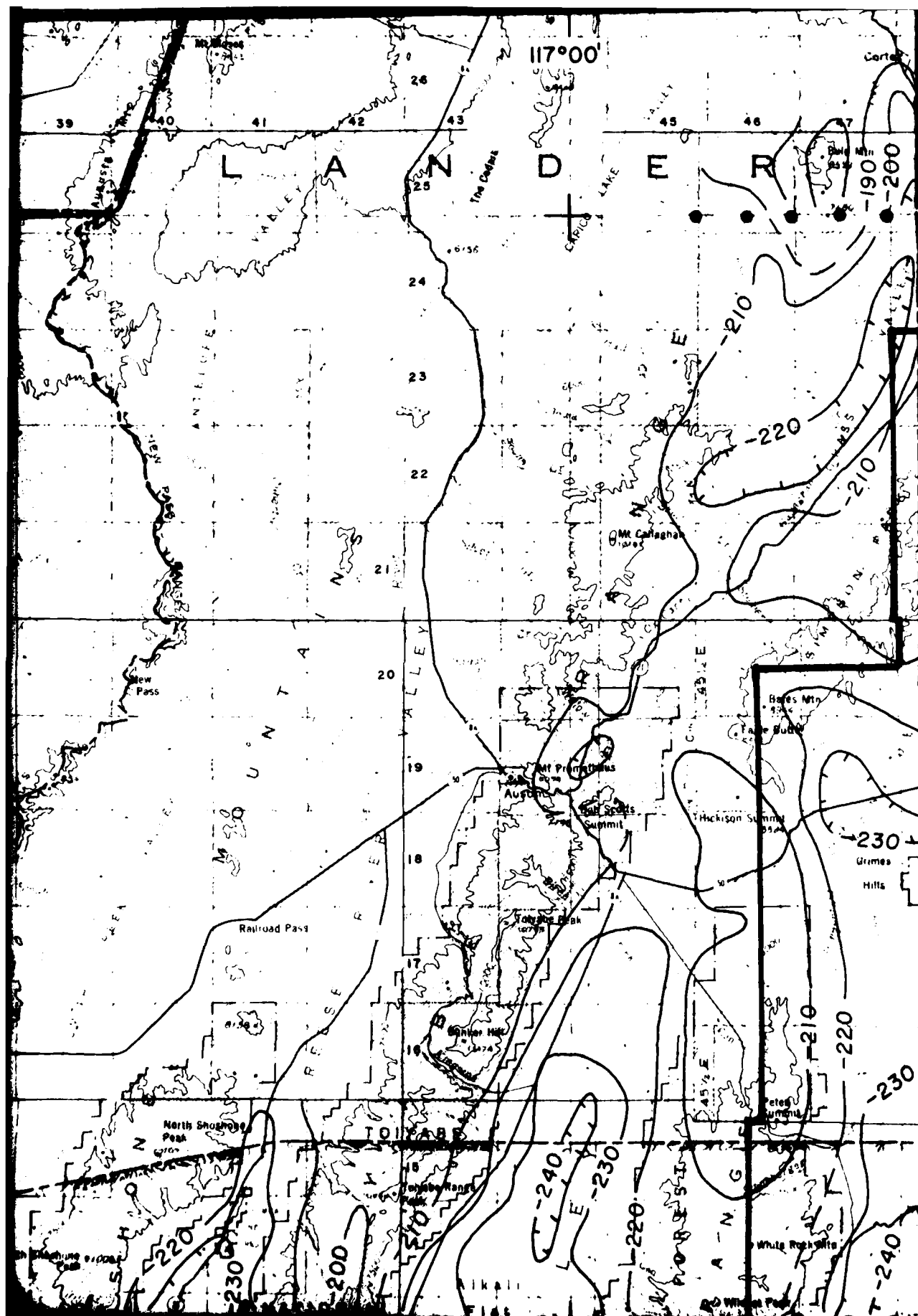
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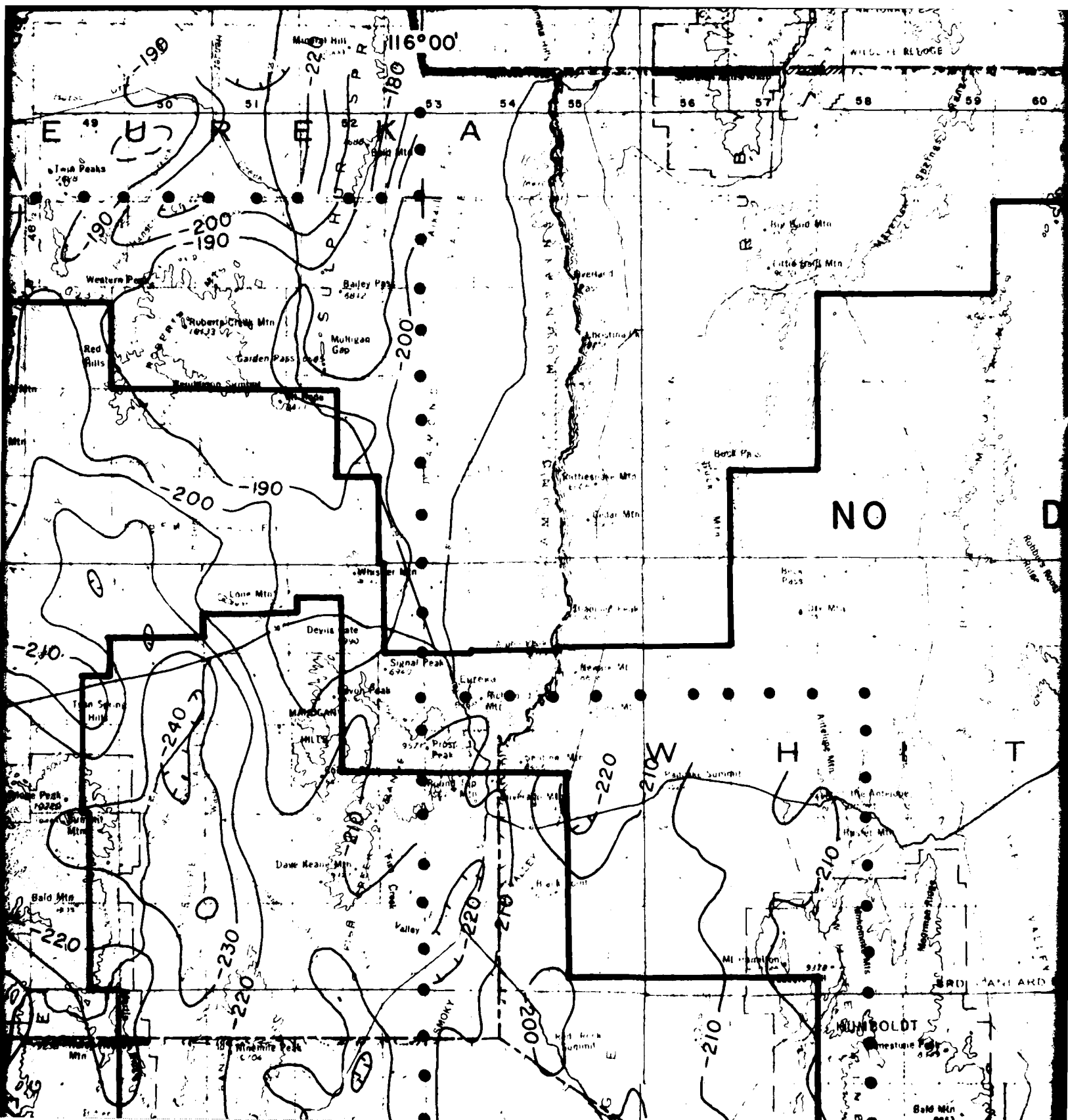
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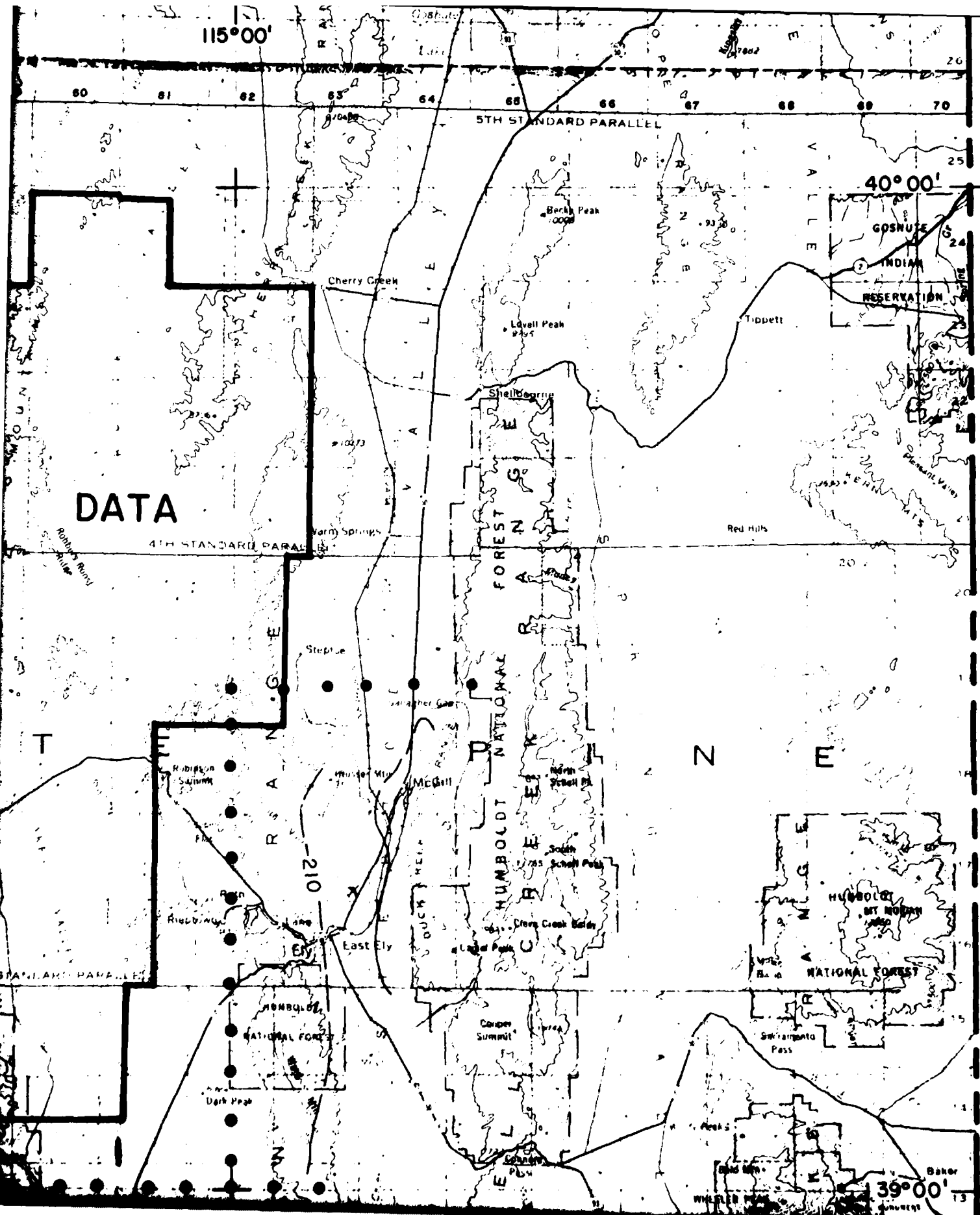
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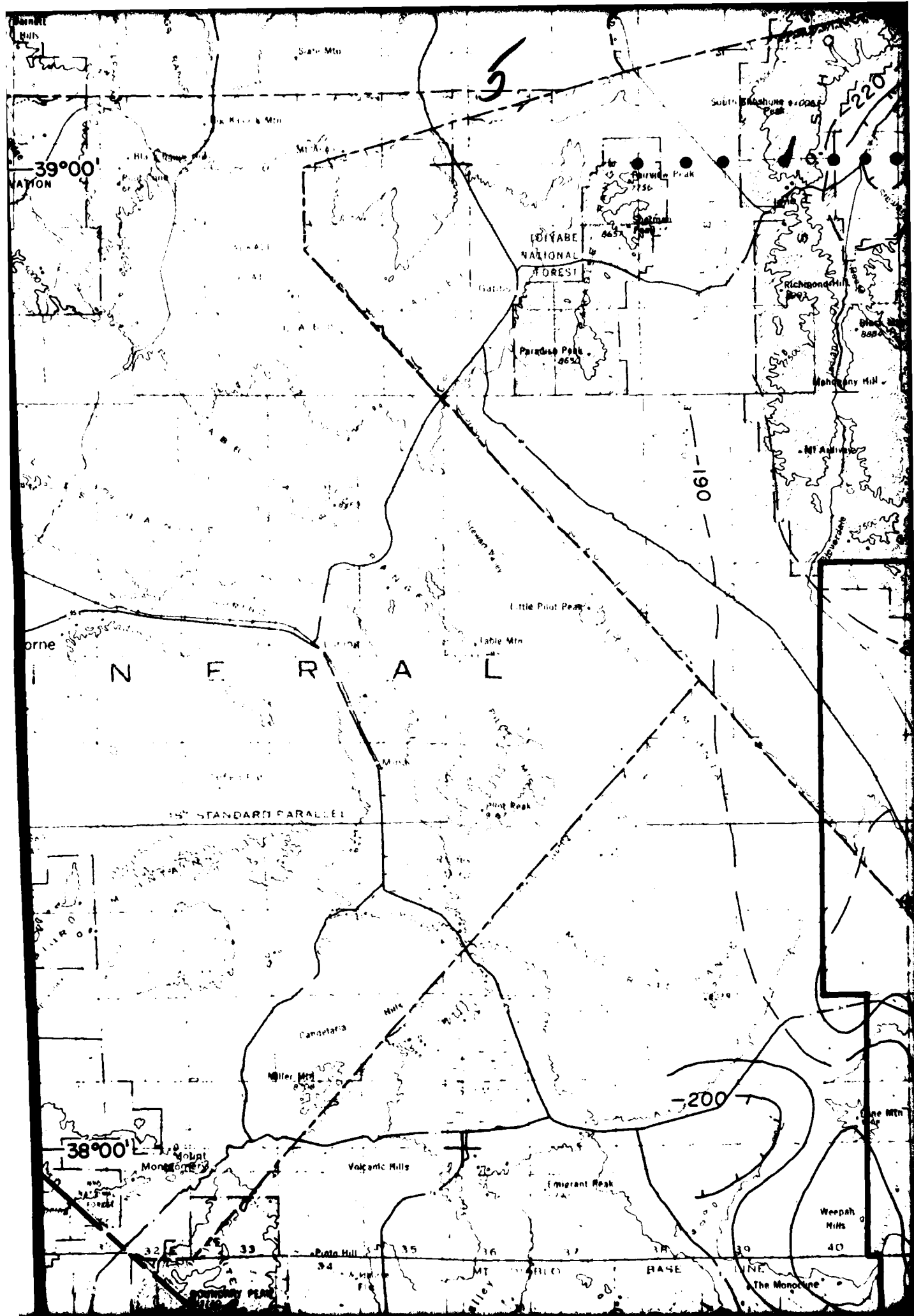
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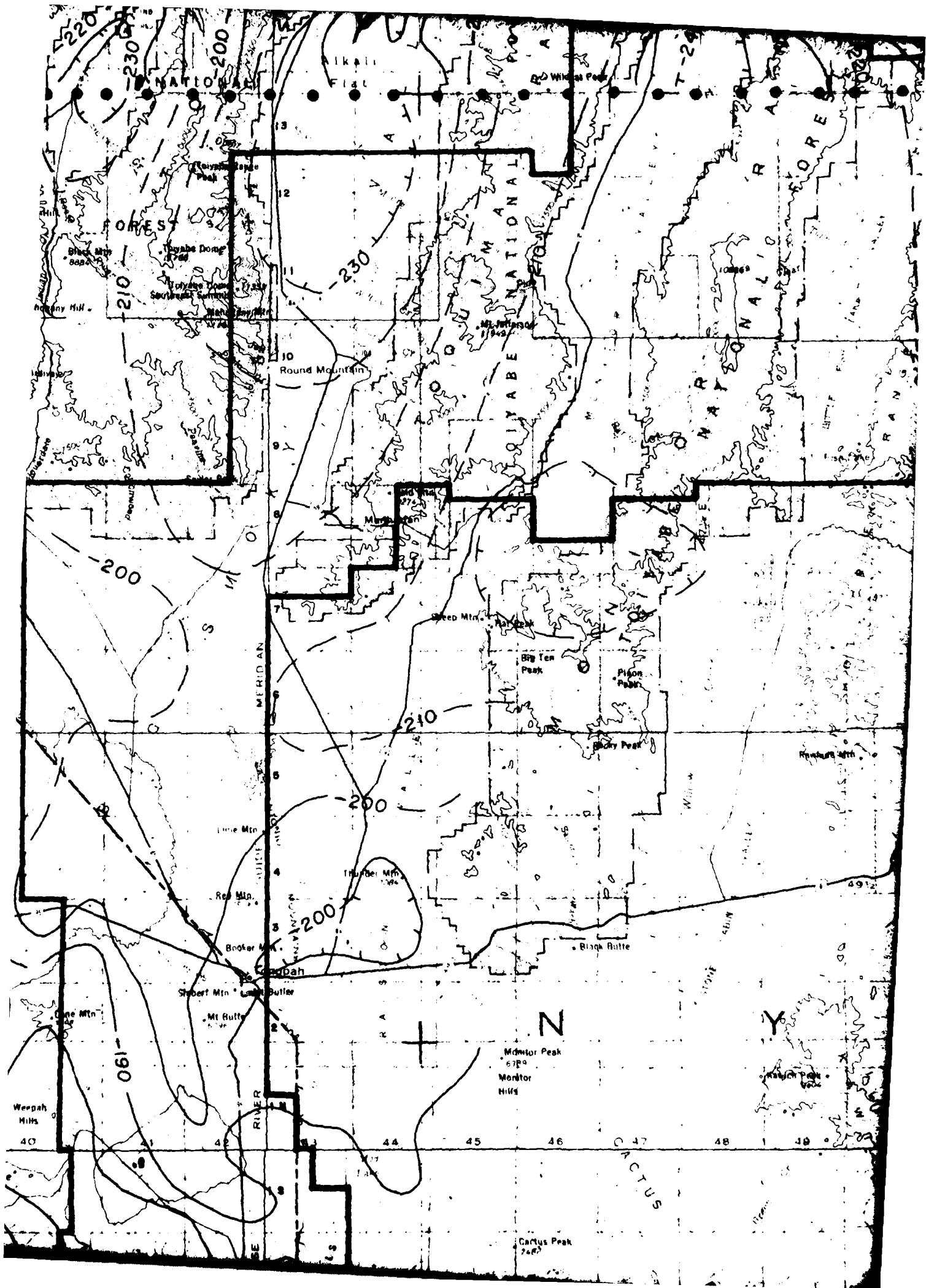
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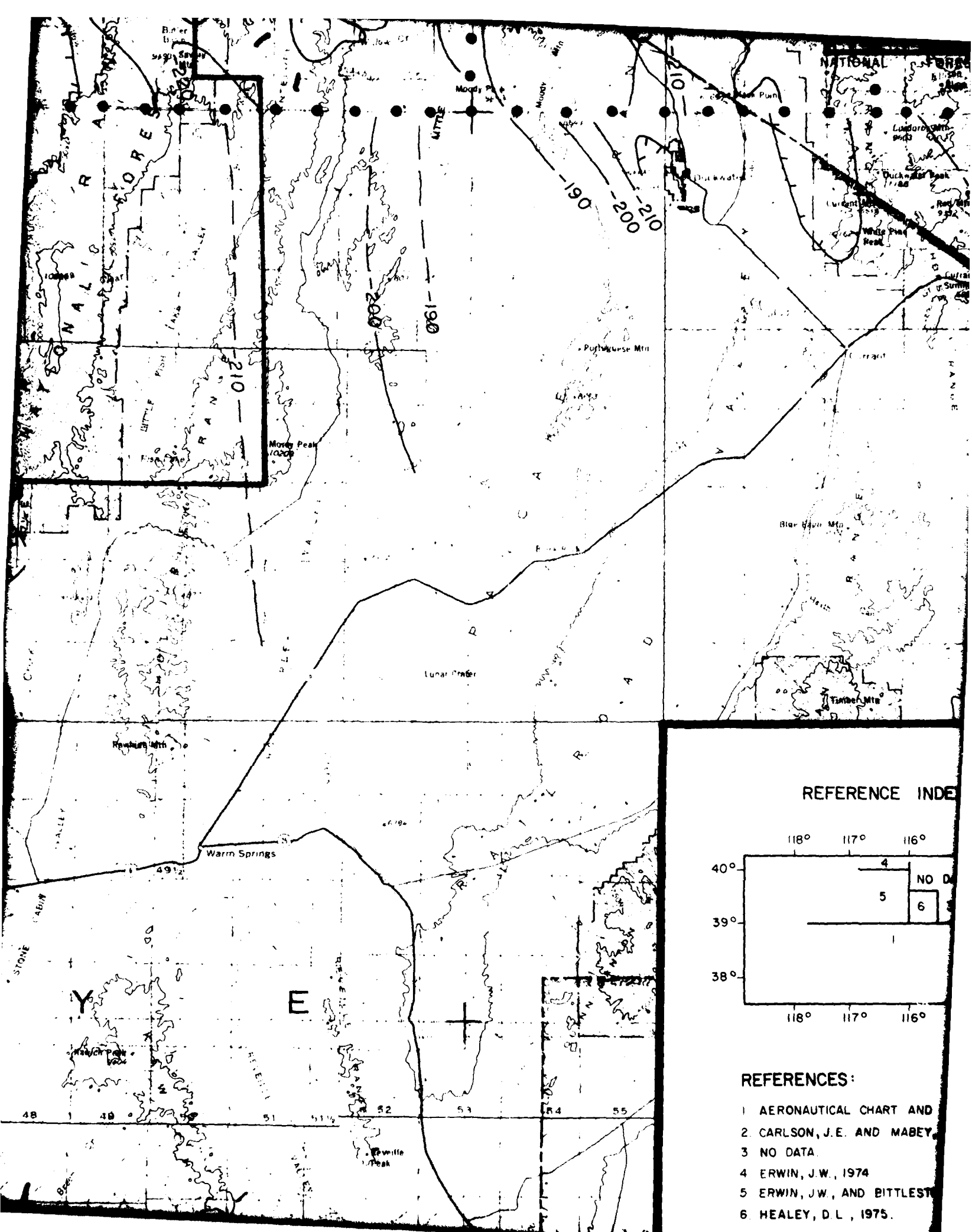
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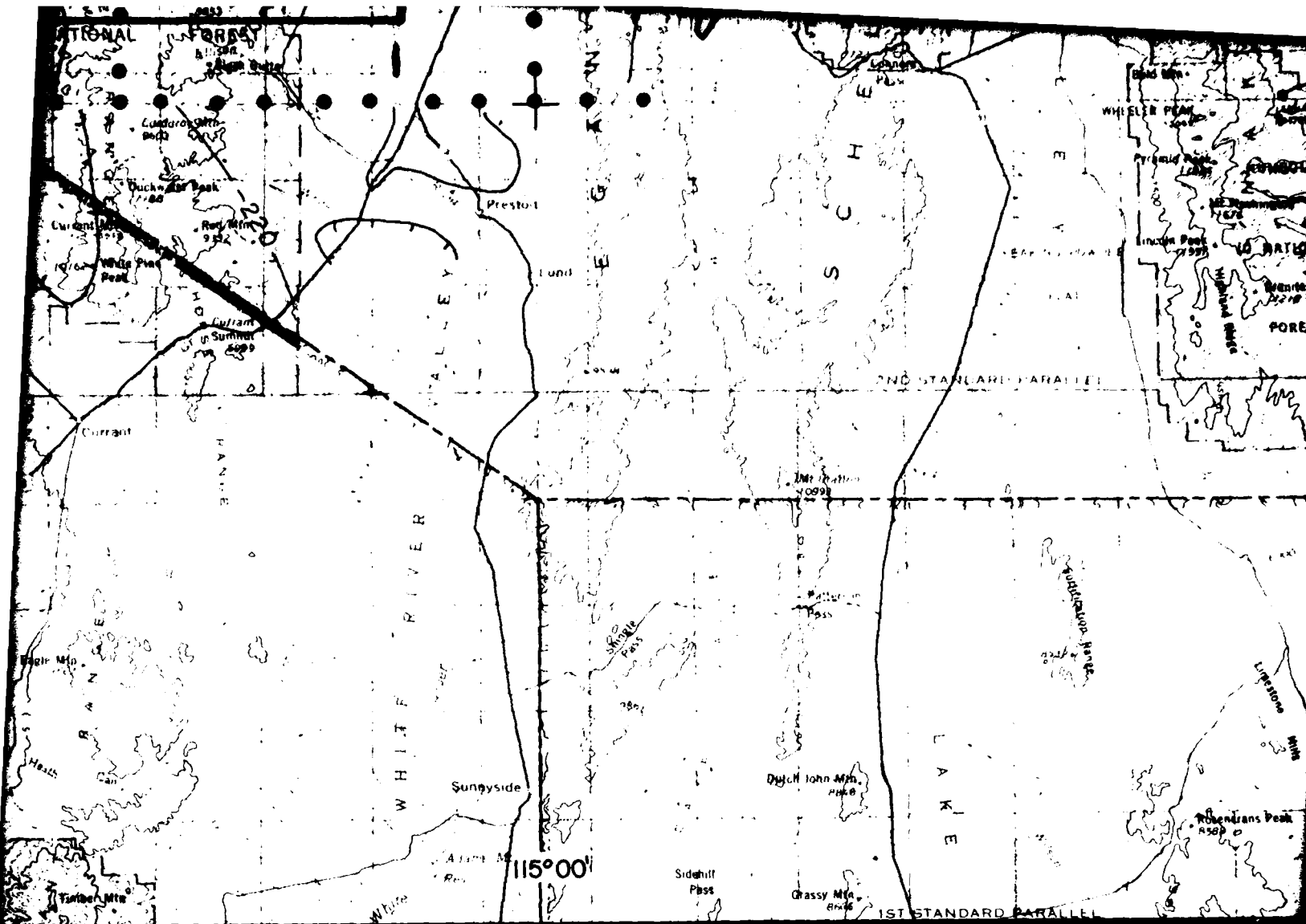
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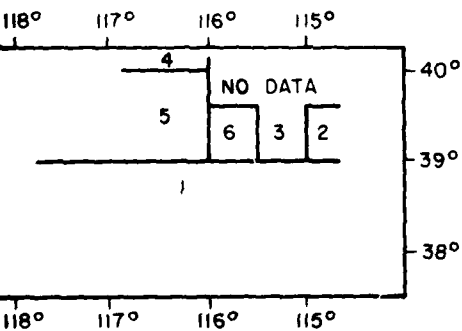








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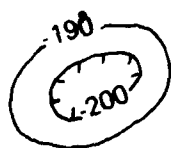
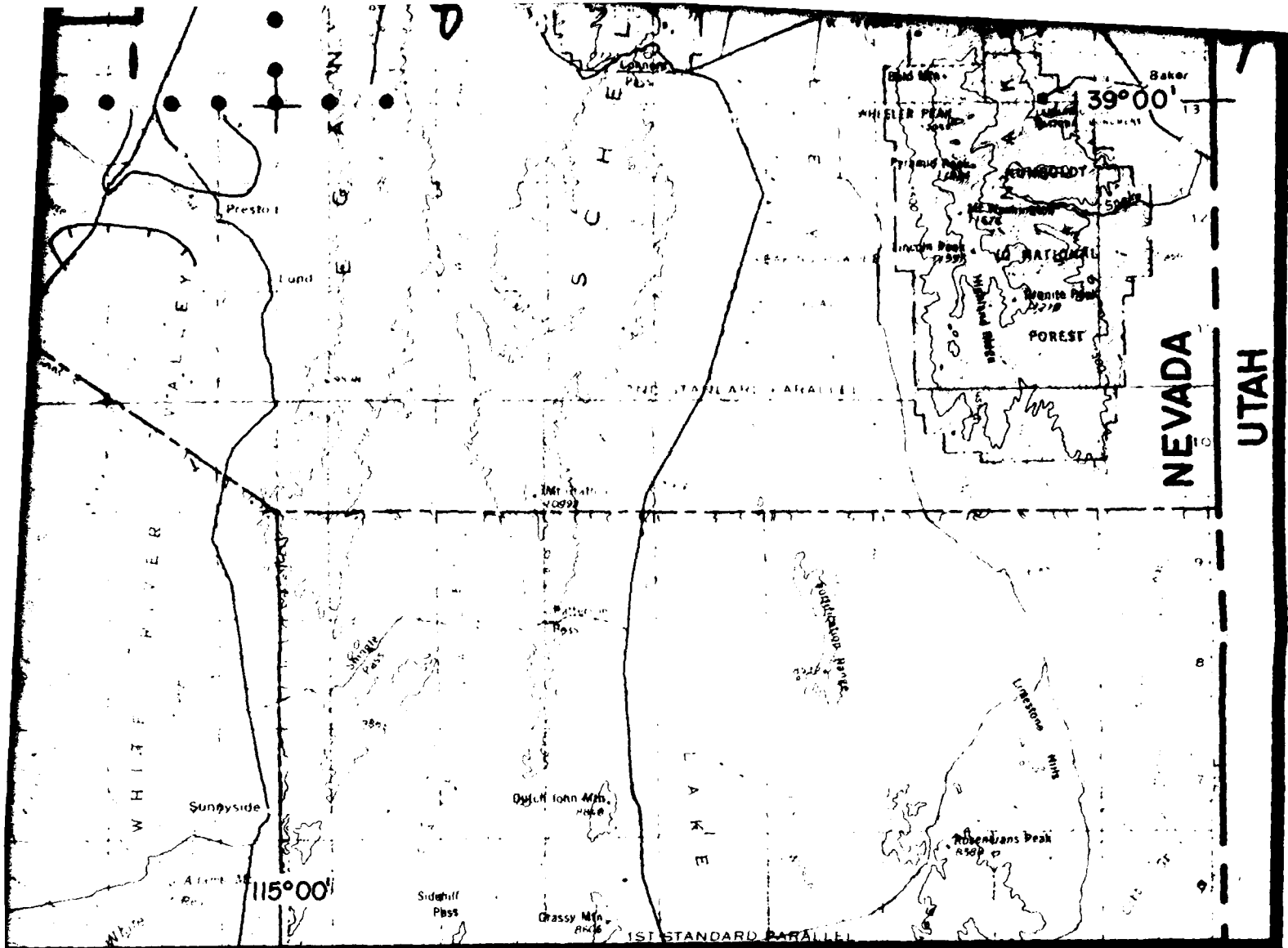
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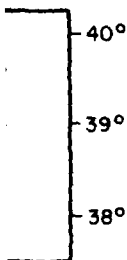
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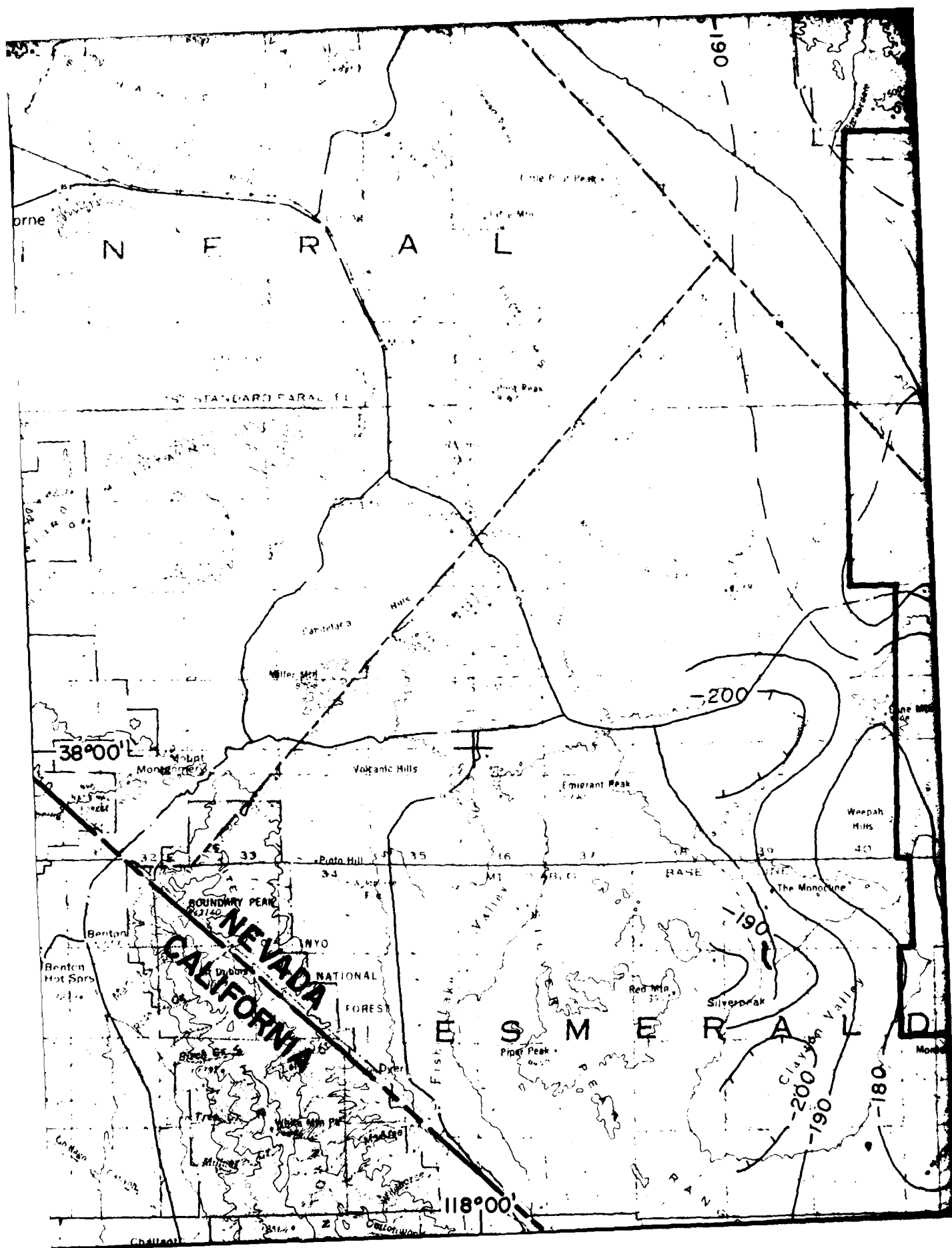
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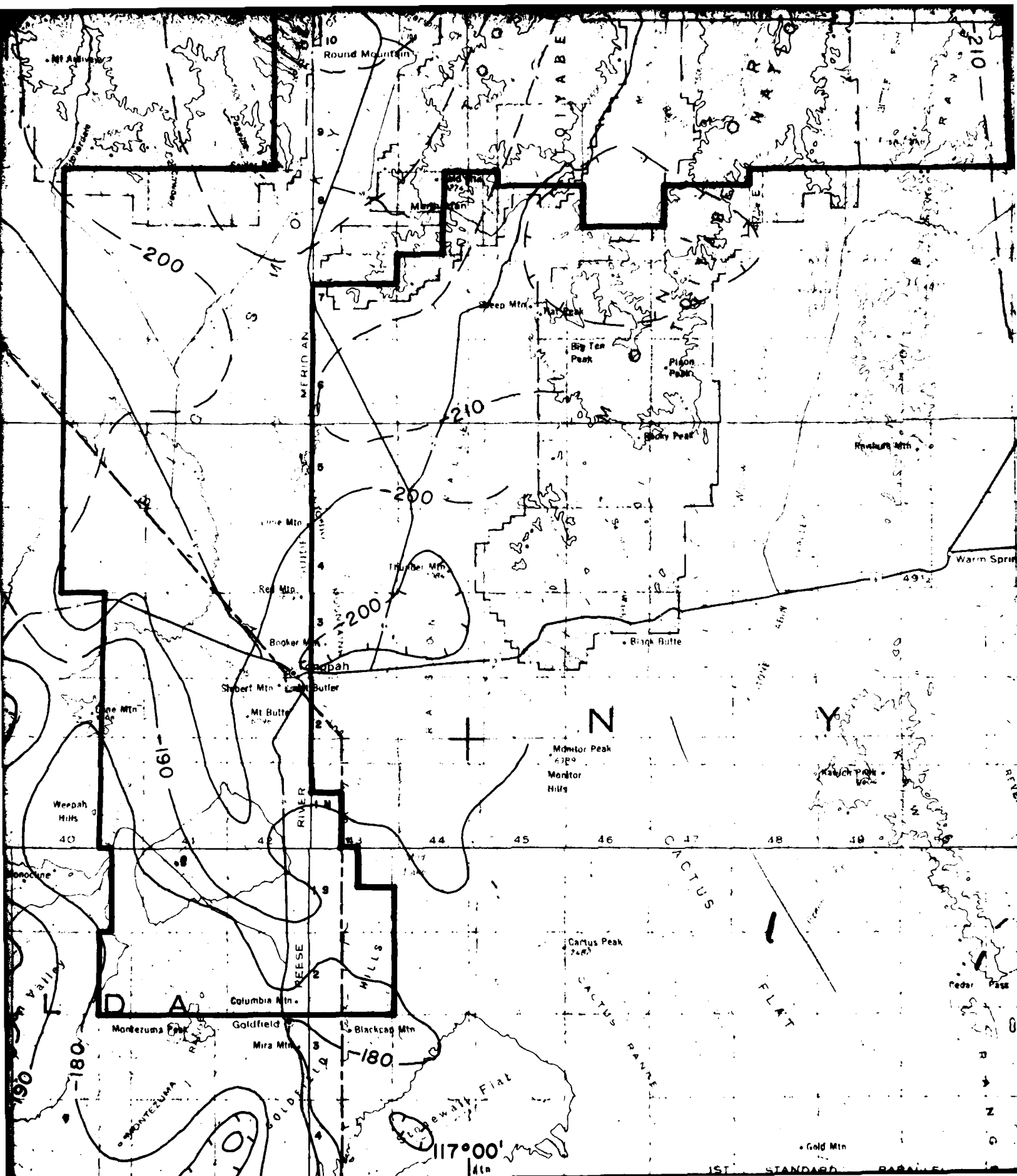


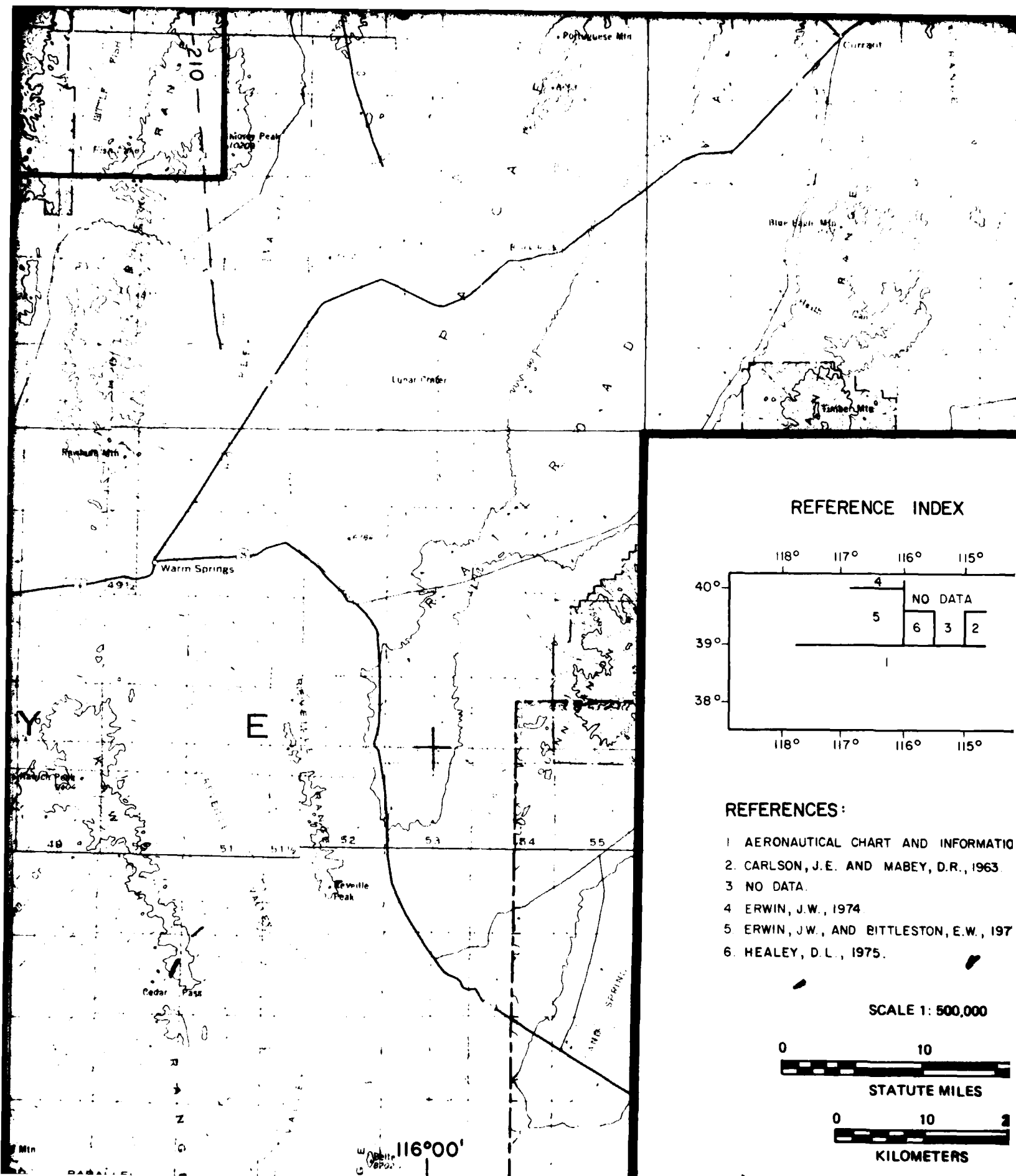
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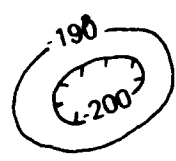
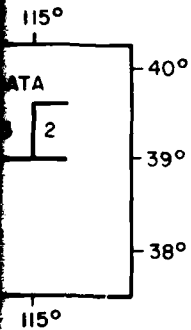
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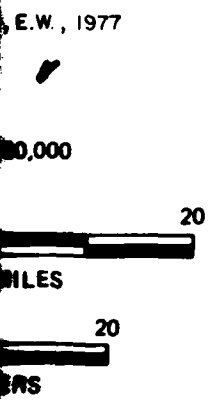
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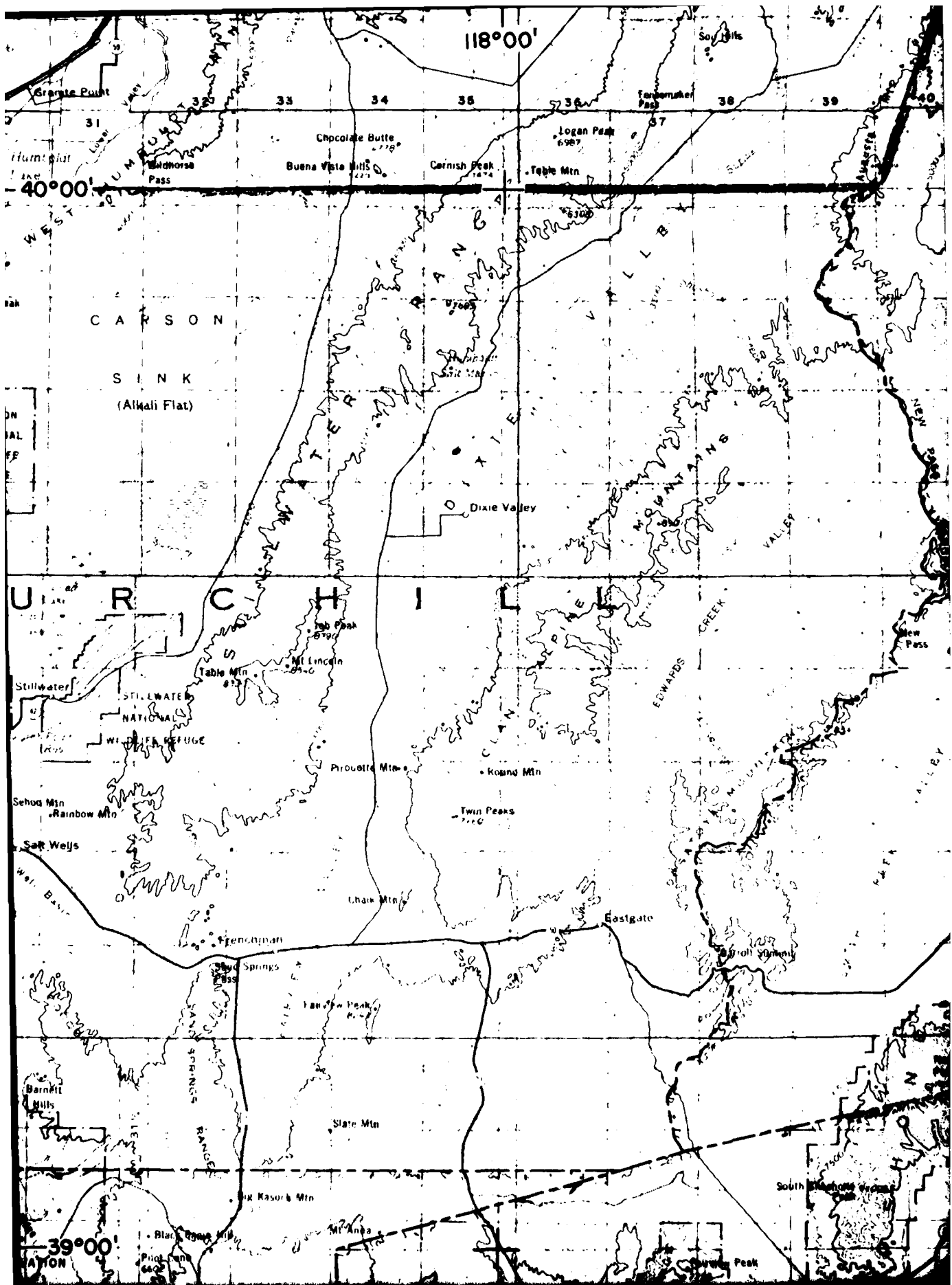


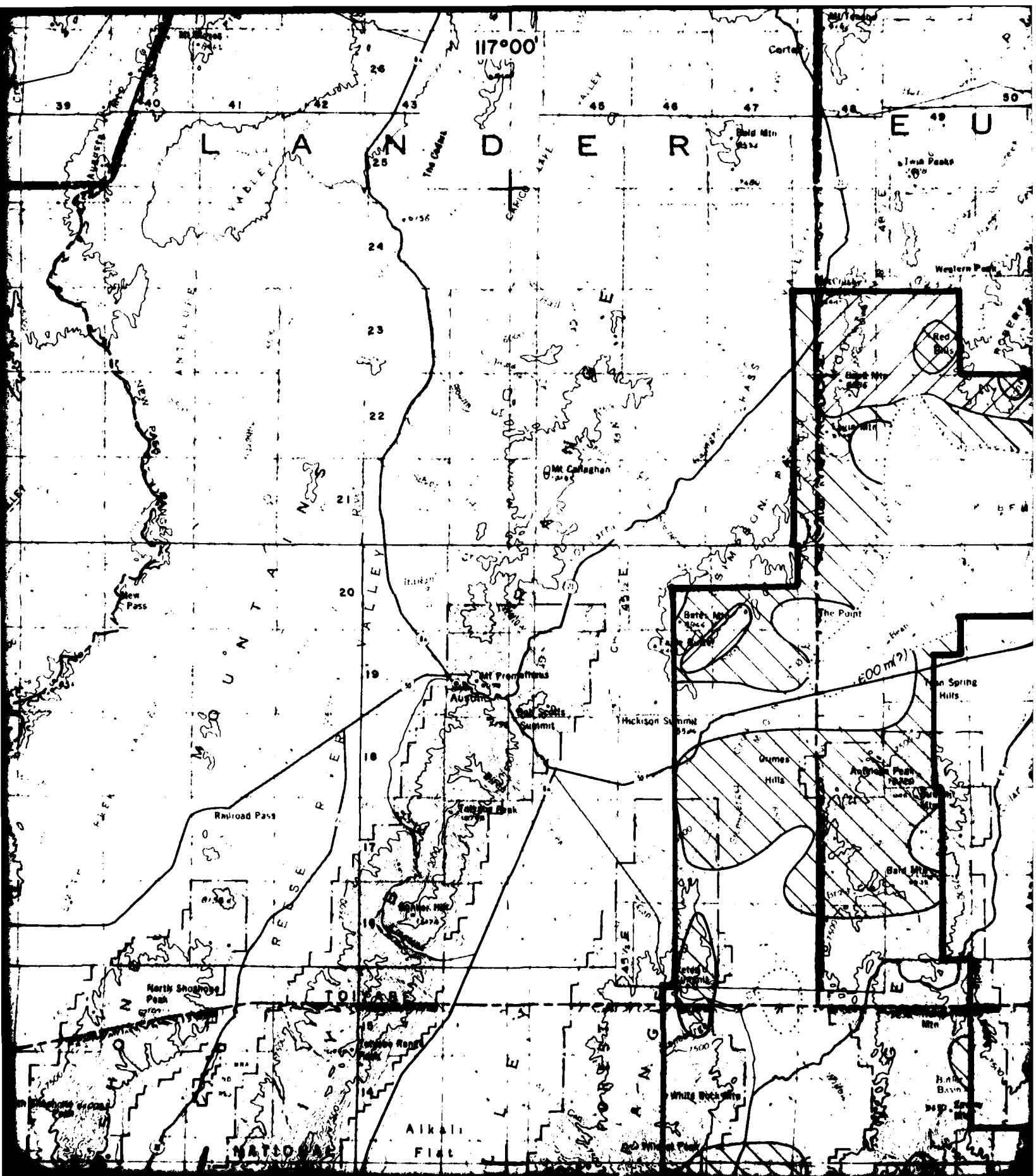
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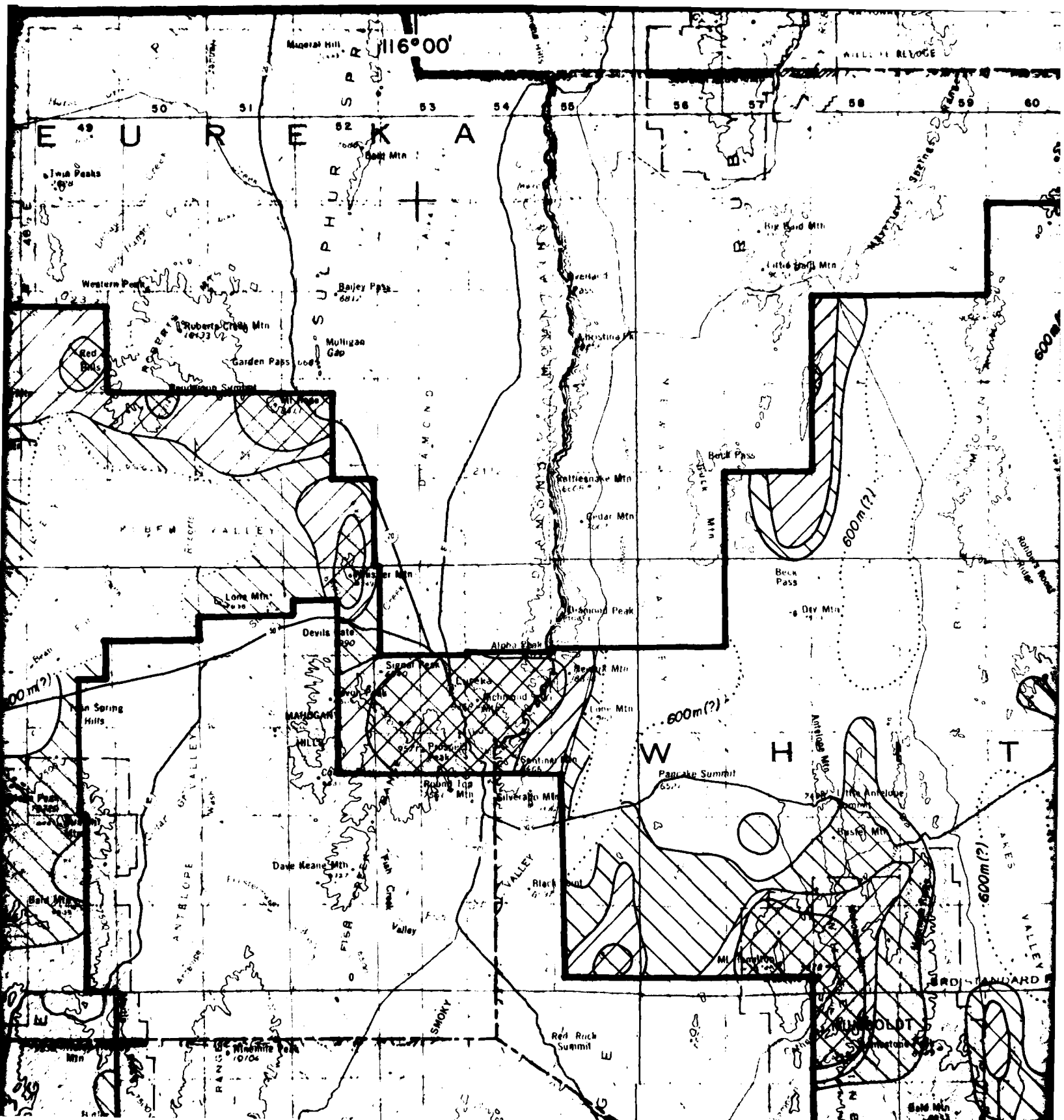
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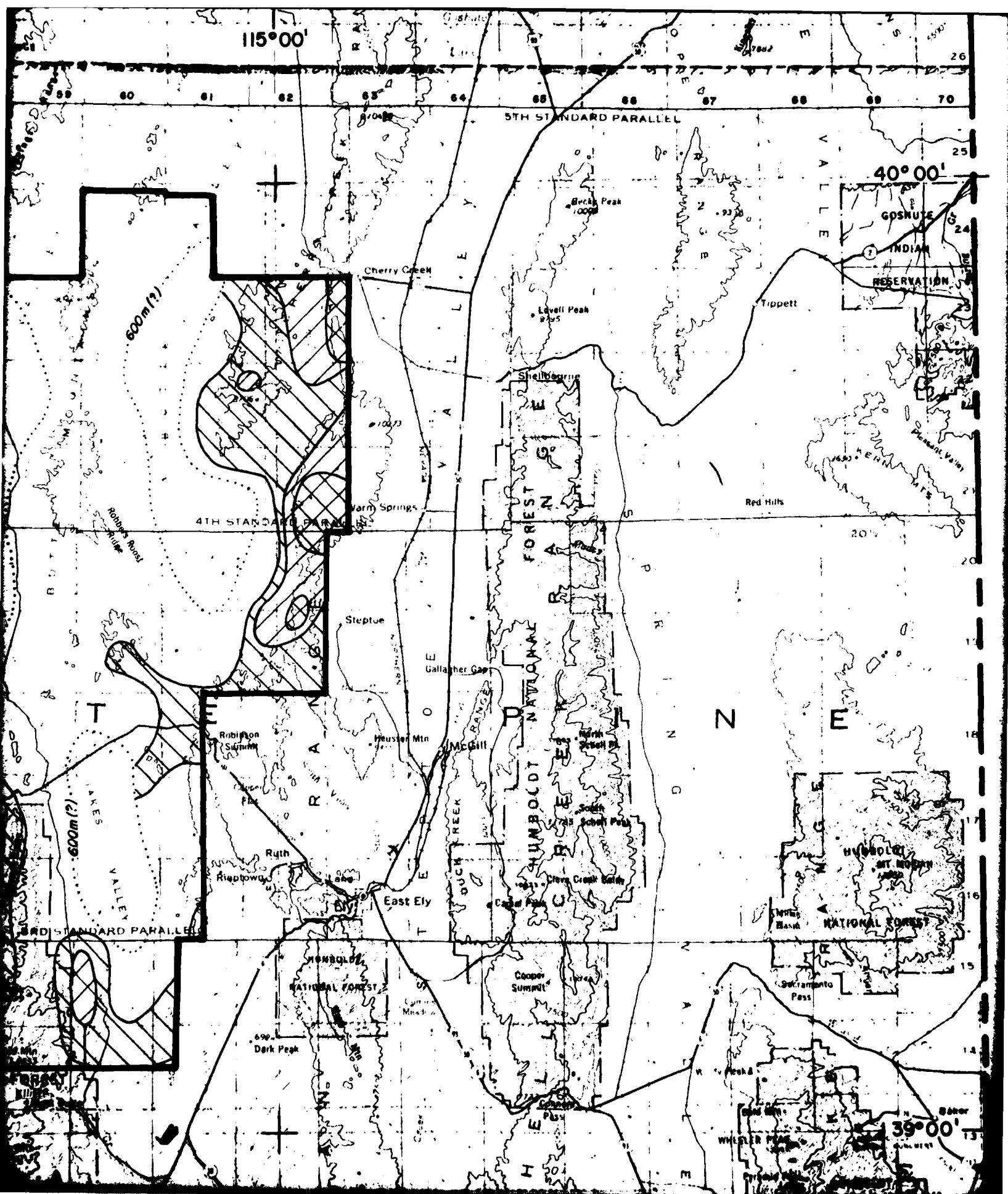
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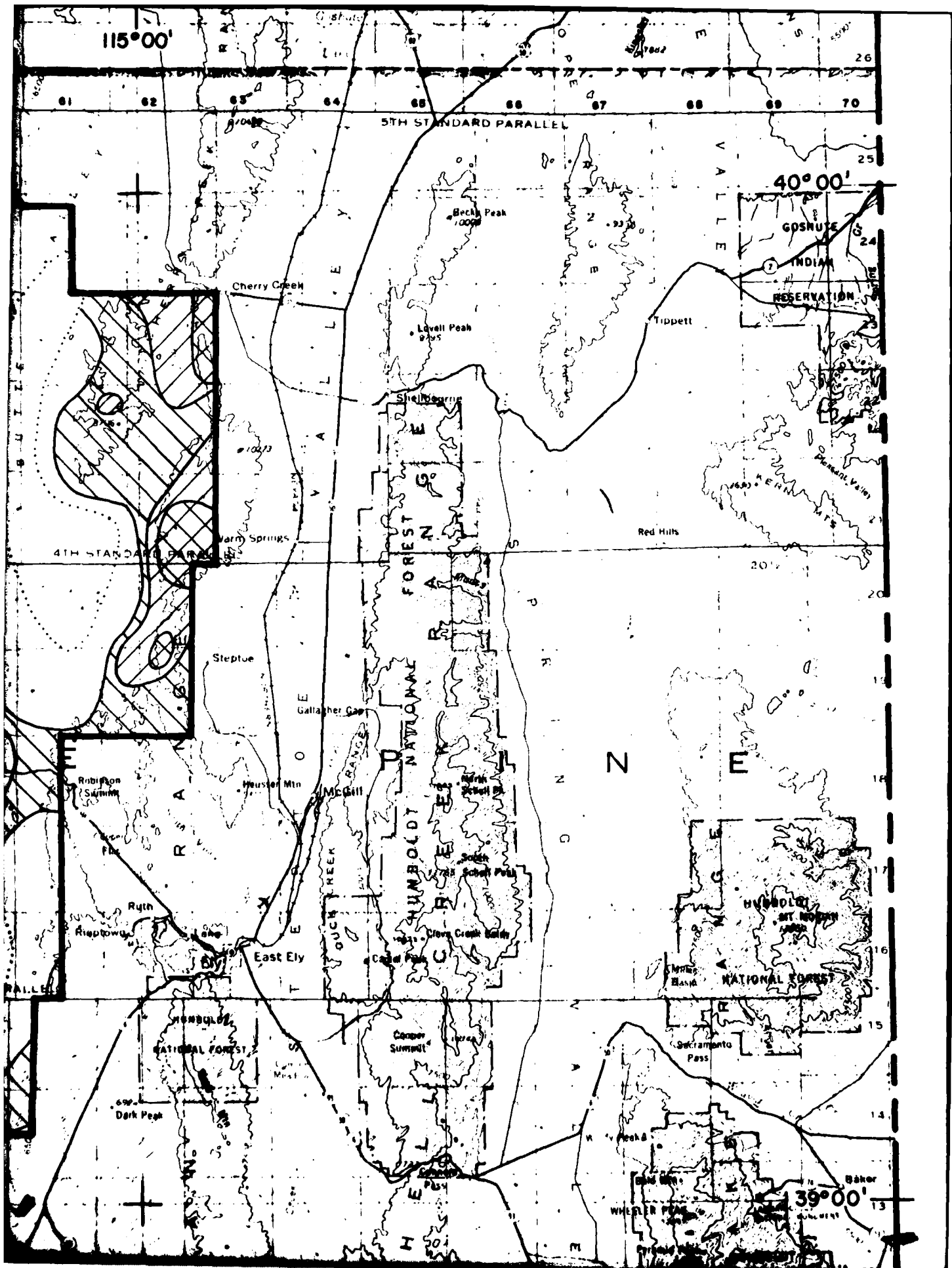
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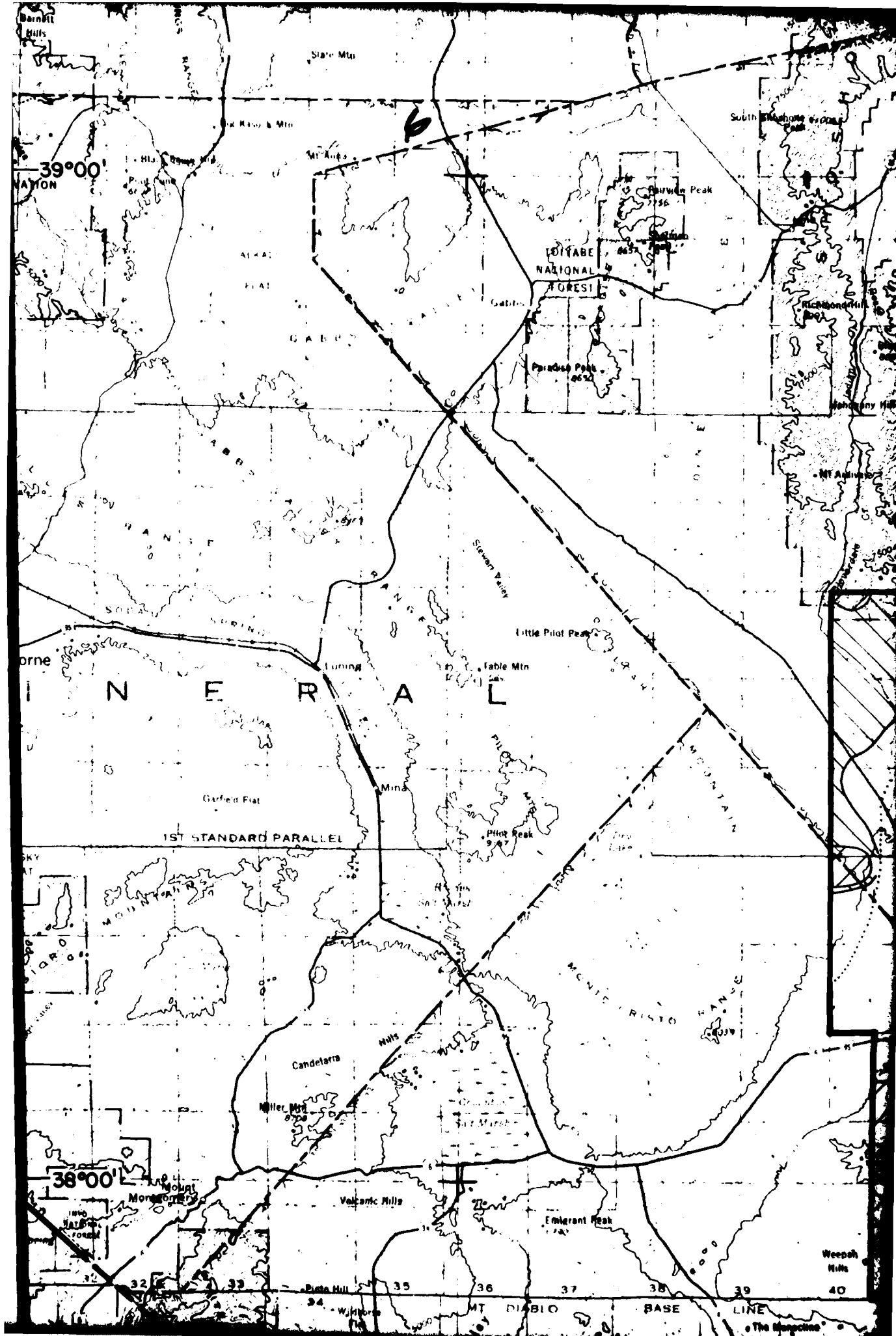


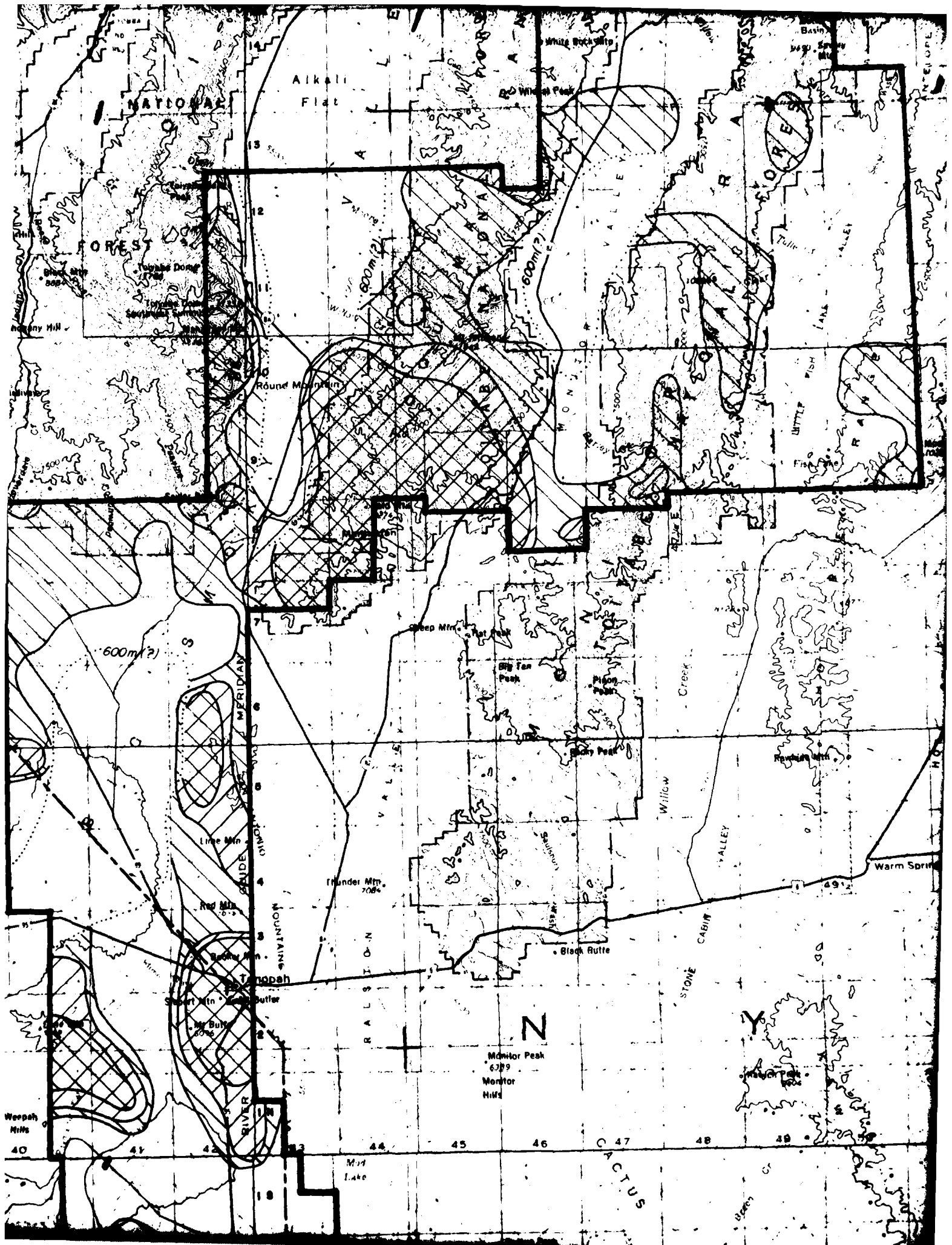


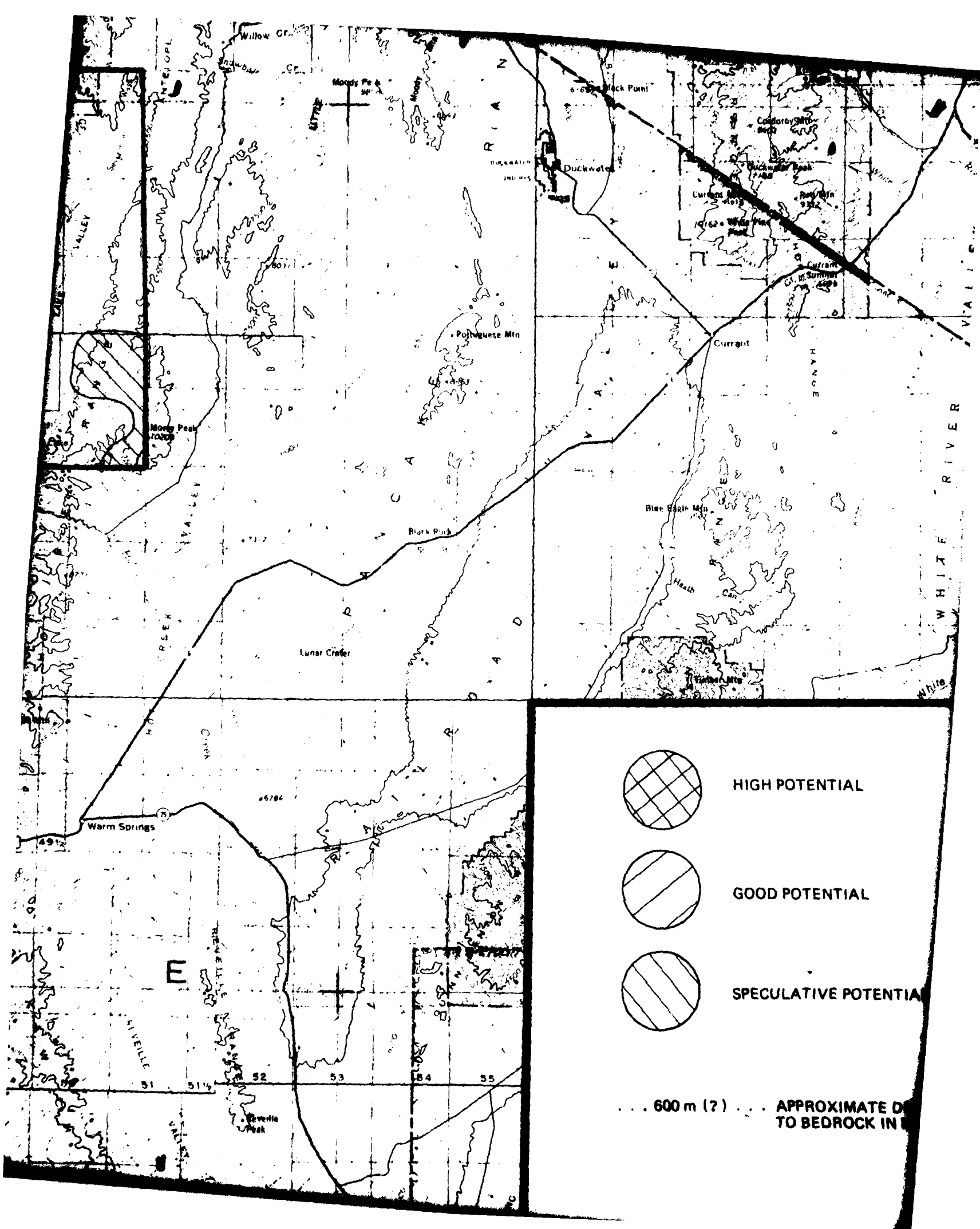


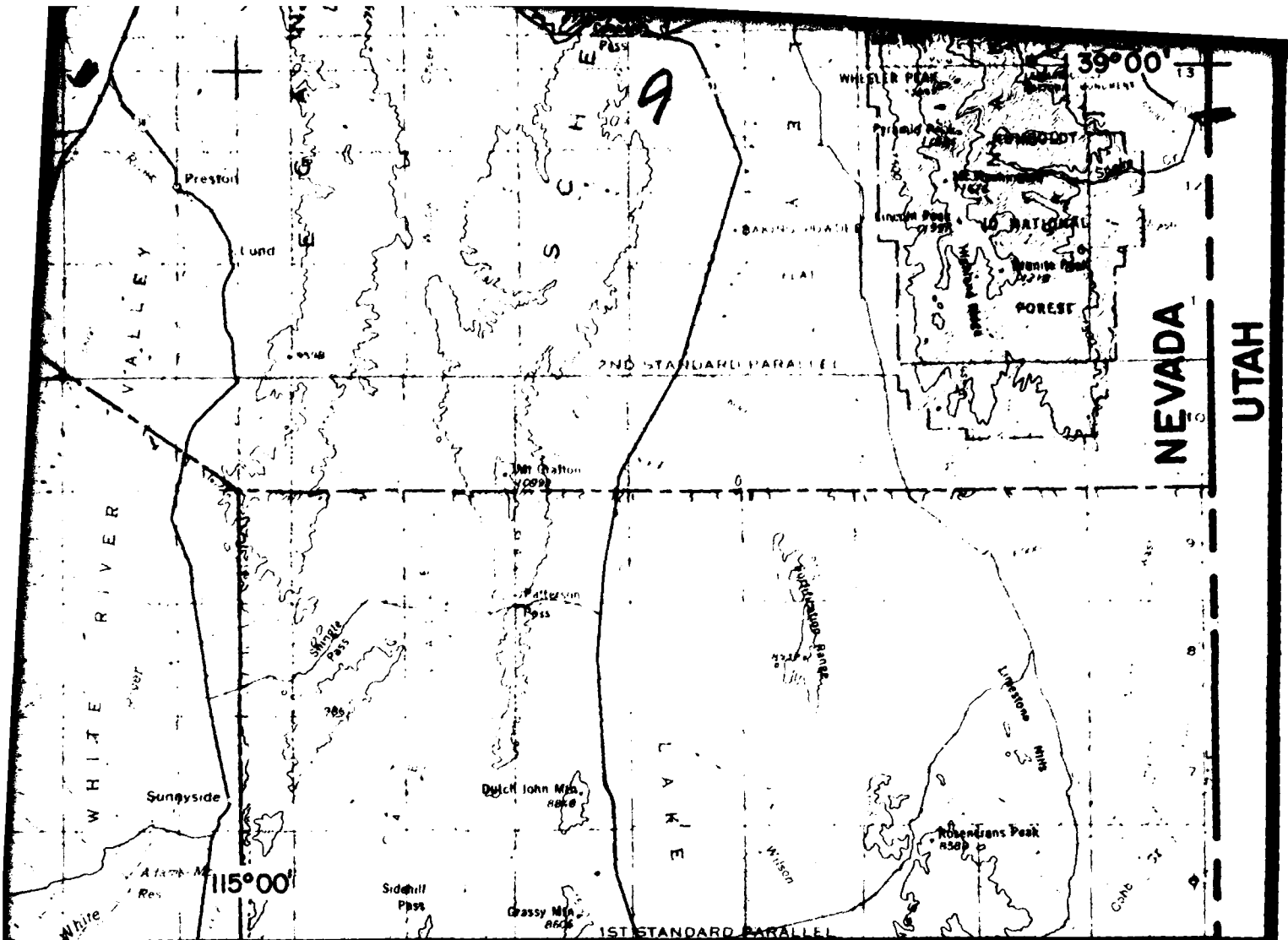












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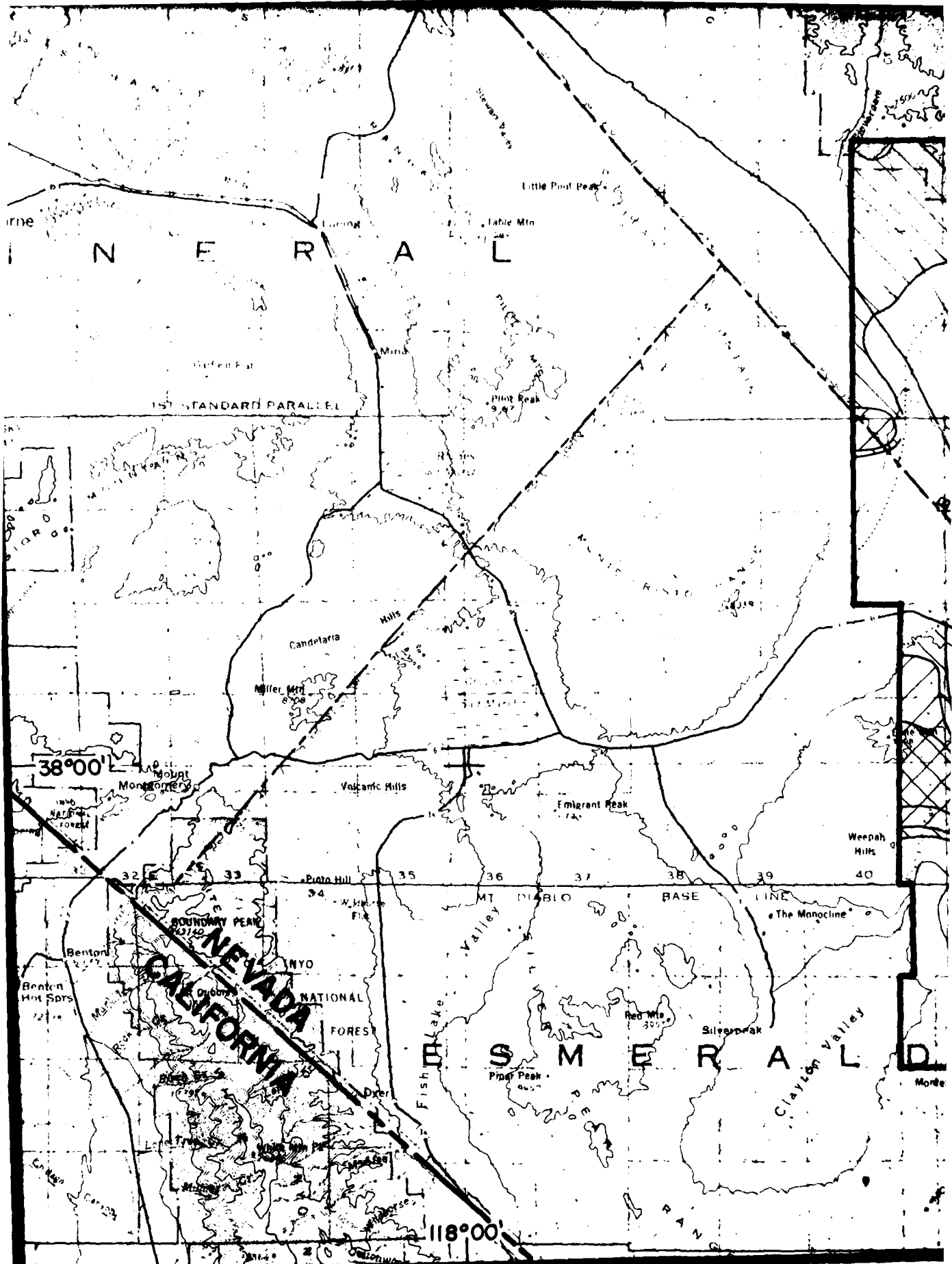
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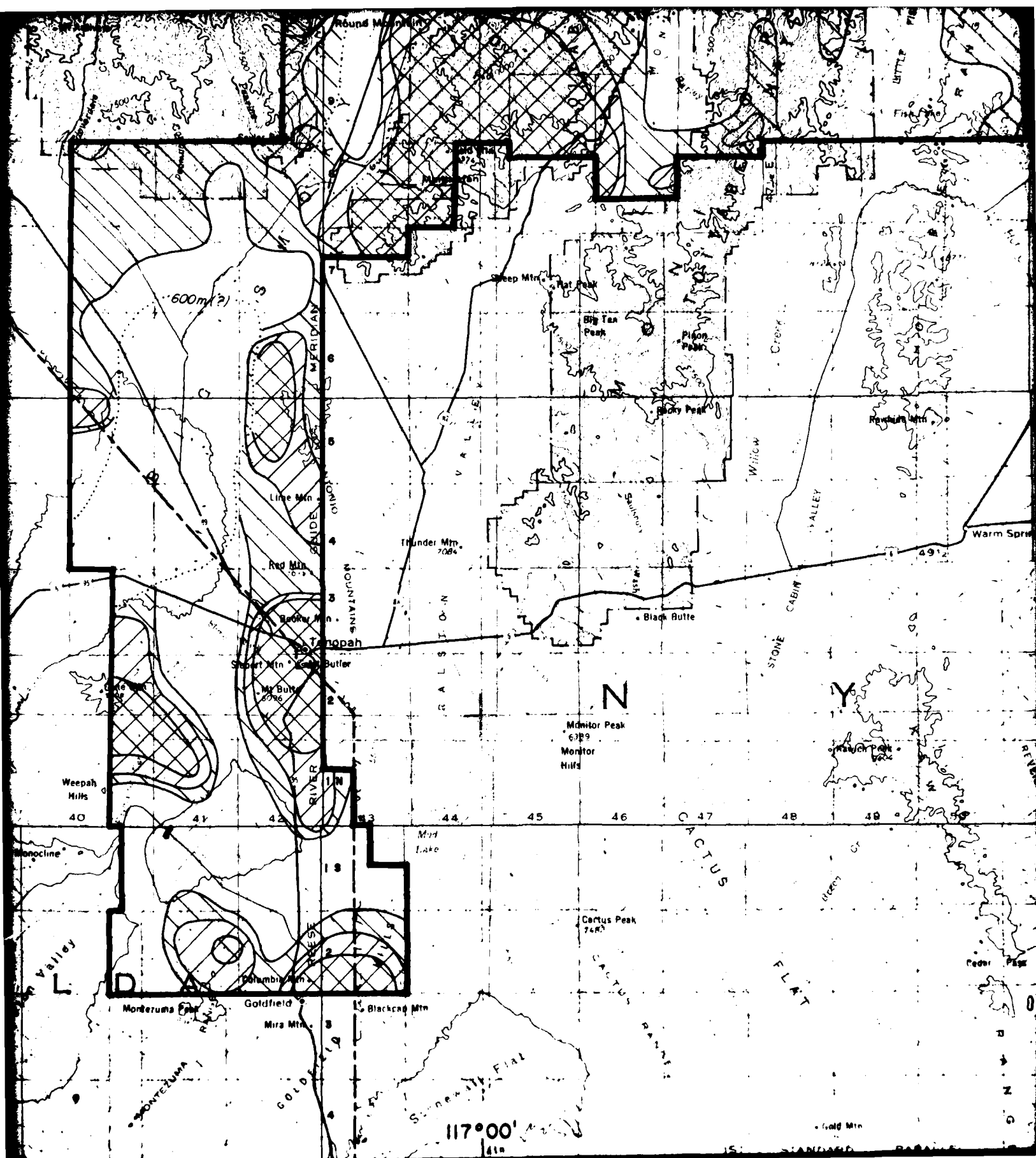


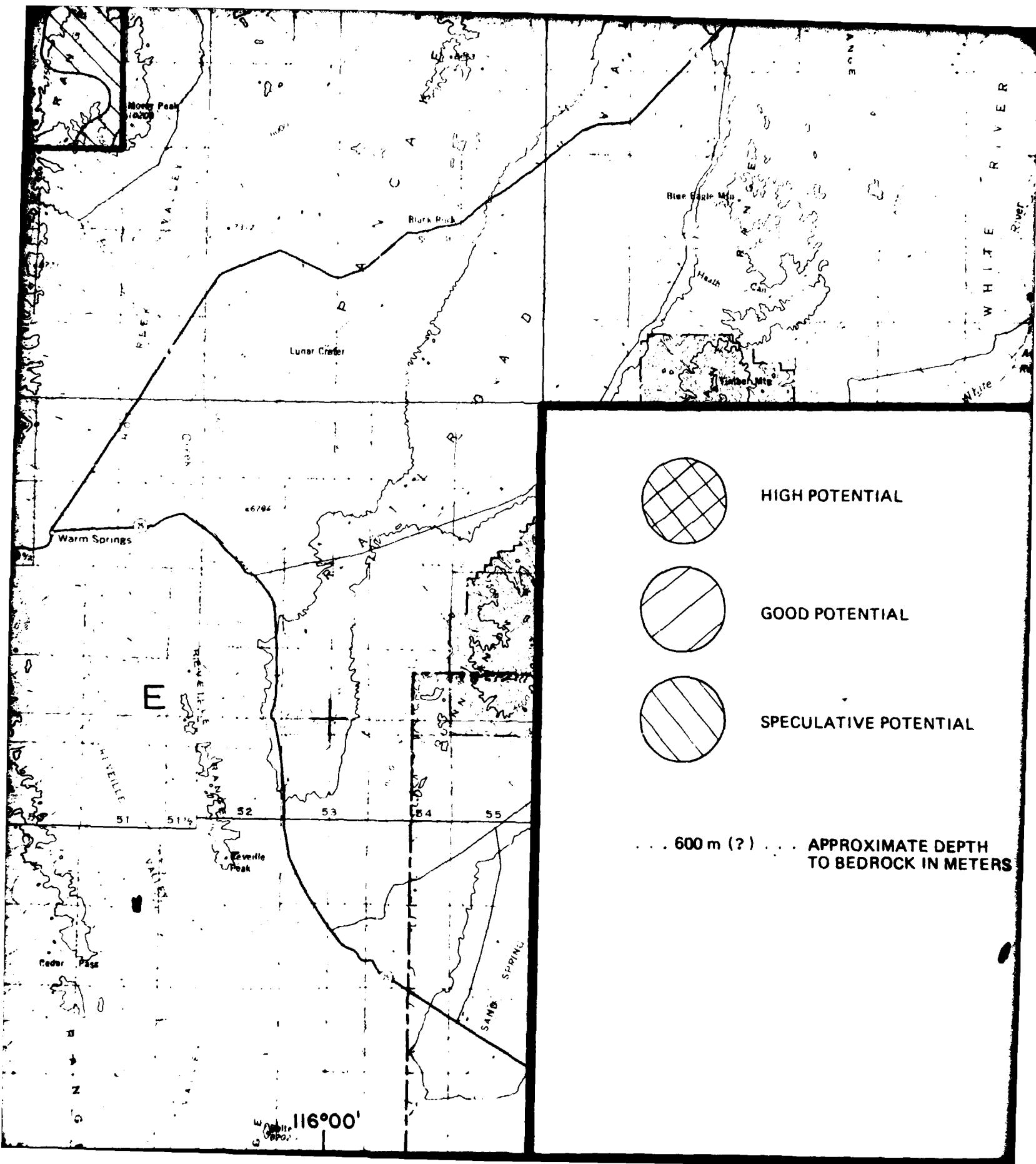
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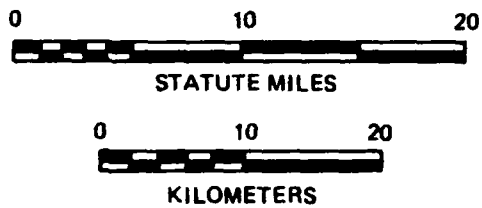
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